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PREFACE

This study was authorized by the U.S. Army Engineer Development Laboratories, Fort Belvoir, Virginia; and was conducted under Contract DA-44-009-AMC-838(T), issued on November 6, 1964. The work reported herein was conducted during the period between the issuance of the contract and the date of this report, December 13, 1965. Those participating in the investigation were Messrs. L. S. Wirt, R. W. Passage, D. L. Morrow, R. L. Orr, J. C. Wahl, and J. E. McGlothin of AiResearch. A consultant, Professor B. J. Lazan, Head of the Aeronautics Department of the University of Minnesota, was retained to assist in a portion of this study. Frequent reference is made throughout this report to the work of others, which is documented in a bibliography in the Appendix Section.

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

This is the final report on the investigation of means and techniques for attenuating the sound level of single-shaft gas turbine engines in the 30/500-hp engine size conducted under Contract DA-44-009-AMC-838(T).

The work done under the contract had the objective to determine new or improved approaches for attenuating noise, as an extension of basic work done under Contract DA-44-009-ENG-5183, as follows:

(a) Acoustical testing of the Model GTP331-30 Engine.

(b) Analytical study, test, and evaluation of sound and vibration damping materials.

(c) Investigation of the other physical properties of those materials found to show promise in sound damping.

(d) Presentation of recommendations for future follow-on work.

This report presents the results of the testing and studies conducted and makes recommendations for further investigations.
The work reported herein is a continuation of studies for developing practical methods of attenuating the noise of a Model GTP331 Gas Turbine Engine within its envelope. This prior work utilized vibration damping useful only at low metal temperatures (up to 500°F). Thus, there was still a lack of suitable means for vibration-damping the high-temperature structure, particularly its sheet-metal parts. This study, then, is an attempt to extend the field of knowledge of vibration-damping coatings. Previous damping coatings investigated were effective only up to 500°F; for this study, the object was to find coatings effective up to 2000°F.

2.0 SUMMARY

Acoustical power level spectra and directivity indices in one-third octave bands were measured by the free-field method, with use of both a straight exhaust duct and a right-angle duct. One-third octave acoustic power level spectra were obtained for the cooling fan, accessory case, compressor inlet, and turbine plenum by use of the reverberant-room method. Source isolation was accomplished by means of a special compartmented enclosure having removable panels. The method appears satisfactory and convenient, and the data obtained will be useful to installation designers and for the design of attenuating devices. The noise patterns and trends are in general similar to those observed in related engine models.

Two strong pure-tone spikes, which are not acoustically desirable, were observed. One occurs at main rotor speed and is symptomatic of unbalance. The second occurs at 100 to 125 cps in the exhaust noise. Tape recordings of each noise source were subjected to narrow-band analyses and local peaks correlated with engine processes.

The materials study began with a survey of literature, vendors, and authorities in the field of vibration damping, and very little information relating specifically to high-temperature vibration-damping coatings was found. A consultant, Dr. B. J. Lazan, was retained to provide the conceptual design of a test apparatus. The consultant was also able to demonstrate data processing methods determining fundamental parameters of vibration damping. Eventually, three types of coatings were tested:

(a) Vitreous enamels

(b) High-manganese alloys

(c) Aluminum-alumina cermets

All of the vitreous enamels, when applied in thin coatings, exhibited very good damping ability within their usable temperature range. The least efficient enamel had far more damping at high temperatures than the best low-temperature material at its optimum. This includes the enamels commonly used for corrosion resistance at elevated temperatures. Some of the high-manganese alloys and aluminum-alumina cermets produced a significant but lesser amount of damping. Test results with manganese copper alloys showed unexplained irregularities which need further investigation. It was recommended that further study of these alloys be started in the near future so as to make available a larger variety of damping materials.

It is not uncommon for research in one field to uncover useful information only obliquely related to the original objectives. Occasionally such discoveries overshadow the original objectives of the study. Any material or system when cyclically stressed generates a hysteresis loop. These loops are studied because they indicate the types of micromechanisms at work in the material.

In particular, the nonlinear hysteresis loops generated at high stress levels are studied in attempts to learn the micro-mechanisms of fatigue failure. The literature searched revealed that this study of fatigue is seriously hampered by the lack of adequate mathamatical models for nonlinear hysteresis loops.

It was noticed that these nonlinear hysteresis loops resembled the Lissajous Figures encountered in shaft dynamics. Adequate mathematical models for the shaft motions have recently appeared. These were found to be formulatible in a way capable of describing any hysteresis loop.

It is possible that this mathematical model for the nonlinear hysteresis loop can contribute to the understanding of fatigue. Ironically the lack of knowledge of metal fatigue is the major incentive for the use of damping coatings.

It is therefore possible that this unforeseen discovery will become the most significant aspect of this study, in spite of the success in attaining the original objectives.

It was recommended that work continue in the study of noise generation and transmission in gas turbine engines, with the Model GTP331 used as a typical example. The need for such information becomes more urgent as gas turbines attain broader usage and operate more frequently in proximity to personnel.

Current technological advances indicate that gas turbines will be operating at temperatures greater than 2000°F, and a demand will exist for damping materials in the range from 2000°F to 4000°F. The results of this study indicated that useful damping might be attained up to 3500°F. Development with this goal in mind should commence as soon as possible.

A detailed design study and development program should now be undertaken to incorporate vitreous enamels as vibration-damping coatings in the Model GTP331-30 engine structure, and into gas turbines in other size ranges.

It was recommended that generalized hysteresis loops and their power series representation be subjected to further study to explore their mathematical properties and to seek correlation with physical measurements and dislocation theory.

3.0 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

3.1 Conclusions

3.1.1 Sound Survey

The method of source separation by means of a compartmented enclosure provided satisfactory acoustic power level spectra for the individual sources considered. The limiting factor in the method is the degree to which vibration isolation between the engine and its enclosure, in particular the bulkheads, is attained. The primary difficulty occurs at low frequencies.

The cooling fan used on this unit has an acoustic power level spectrum which differs from that of older models, due to increased blade count. A dominant peak of 115 db occurs in the acoustic power level at the blade-passage fundamental (5,750 cps). This represents a significant improvement over older four-bladed fans. The higher blade passage frequency lends itself to attenuation by a more compact inlet-duct silencing device.

The remaining accessory-section noise, in general, lies well below the base engine noise spectrum, such that it would become significant only on an engine that has been thoroughly attenuated at all other noise sources, including the fan. No acoustical indications of accessory malfunction were found in the narrow-band analyses.

The compressor inlet acoustic power level spectrum is dominated by a blade-passage-fundamental pure tone of 137 db. A substantial spike also occurs at main rotor speed. This is believed to be due mainly to a single-lobed spinning mode associated with synchronous precession of the impellers.

The acoustic power level spectrum for the turbine plenum is of the usual form. At low frequencies, plenum noise levels are substantially below those of the compressor inlet. In the 2,000 to 8,000-cps band the plenum becomes more "transparent" and noise levels approach those of the compressor inlet. The acoustic spectrum is dominated by a peak of 122 db, corresponding to the combined frequencies of the first- and second-stage compressor wheel blade counts.

The exhaust acoustic power level spectrum differs according to whether a straight or right-angle duct is used. Both feature a dominant low-frequency peak centered in the 100-to 200-cps region. The middle- and high-frequency regions feature moderate acoustic power levels which are relatively flat. The turbine-blade-passage fundamental occurs in the ultrasonic frequency range. The right angle duct attenuates the higher frequencies by several db, apparently by reflective processes. Only at no load there are strong pure-tone spikes projecting from the low-frequency broad-band hump. These extend more than 10 db above the surrounding spectrum and are the dominant spikes. A peak value of 140 db is attained with the right-angle exhaust pipe. This type of spike has been occasionally encountered before, but is not regarded as a normal exhaust noise component.

All attenuation hardware developed under ERDL Contract
DA-44-009-ENG-5183 and described in Ref 1 (SD 5011 - Vol. 2)
is directly applicable to the Model GTP331-30 engine. The
attenuation attainable thereby is well represented by the best
results shown in SD 5011. This can be said with confidence
because of refinements that have occurred in the intervening
period. These include the adoption of Scottfelt and the production
and additional testing of Slitmetal.

Appreciable weight reductions result from the substitution
of Scottfelt for Feltmetal in the treatment of compressor inlets.
This will be offset in part by a slightly bulkier turbine-plenum
jacket necessitated by the lack of symmetry of a single-combustor
plenum. See References 38 and 39.

As judged from an acoustical standpoint, the engine appears
"normal", producing noise patterns typical of gas turbines, with
two exceptions.

(a) The shaft-speed components appear high, which indicates
     that improved balance is at least acoustically
     desirable as a means of internal sound attenuation.

(b) The presence of the pure-tone spikes in the low-
     frequency exhaust noise at some load conditions,
     although previously observed, is not considered
     "normal" and its magnitude makes it acoustically
     undesirable.

3.1.2 Damping Study

It is concluded that vitreous enamels may be regarded as viscoelastic damping materials of extraordinary efficiency at elevated temperatures. These are commercially available in a wide variety, some of which are already specialized for corrosion resistance and other properties rendering then usable in the enviroments prevailing inside gas turbines. The literature reveals the likelihood that similar properties exist to some extent in refractory ceramics, such that immediate extension of the scope of useful application of 3500°F by means of refractory coatings seems feasible.

The high-manganese alloys exhibit broad-band high-temperature damping of unknown origin. Their behavior is complex, and substantial additional work would be required to develop coatings of a predictable nature.

The aluminum-alumina cermets (XAP) exhibit broad-band damping of modest but useful propoitions over the temperature range up to 1000°F. This material can be applied with ordinary metal-spray equipment. Oxidation resistance was good.

3.1.3 Micromechanisms and Models

Recent technical literature reveals a lack of suitable mathematical models for stress-strain-time relations for materials in their nonlinear range. This lack impedes fundamental research into the micromechanisms of damping and fatigue. The 2,000-year-old Epicycles of Ptolemy are capable of providing such a model. These can be reformulated as power series reminiscent of Laurent's series. It is concluded that the classic sinusoidal stress or sinusoidal

strain test procedures cannot define a nonlinear material, but fundamental parameters can **be deduced** if both tests are performed.

Useful information concerning energy relations and other properties of hysteresis loops can be graphically demonstrated by the epicyclic model. When formulated as a power series, the concept of a unique generalized hysteresis loop, as a representation for a material, evolves. It is concluded that this mathematical model may prove useful to facilitate fundamental material research leading, for example, to better damping materials.

3.2 Recommendations

3.2.1 Sound Survey

The mechanisms by which the low-frequency hump in the exhaust noise spectra is generated need fundamental investigation. This includes both the broad hump and the pure-tone spikes which occasionally arise out of it. The broad hump is commonly called "combustion rumble", but recent developments have cast doubt on the appropriateness of this term and have provided new hypotheses as a guide to specific research. This research should be pursued, because all known silencing devices of reasonable proportions fail to attenuate the low-frequency hump.

3.2.2 Damping Materials

To facilitate the more rapid application of vitreous enamels as high-temperature damping coatings, greater knowledge should be acquired of the effects of composition on the location and width of the damping peak. It is recommended that screening tests such as the Harrison test be carefully explored to provide simple test procedures to fill this need.

It is recommended that the manganese alloys be further examined
in several areas.   Study is required to understand and control
the high-temperature damping found in these materials. Development
is needed of suitable coating processes, either by improved metal-
spray procedures or perhaps by hot dip or sintering procedures.
Attempts to apply the known room-temperature damping to the fabrica-
tion of quieter gearing, bearings, and seals seem likely to be
profitable.

The aluminum cermets show promise as convenient broad-band
dampers either as a coating or as a structural material. Funda-
mental research to establish the micromechanisms of their damping
is needed.

Experimental evaluation of the acoustical effects of vibration-
damped turbines is recommended, but only if the testing is intensive
enough to accomplish such a complete source separation that the
results are not masked by interfering noise. Such a test would be
quite elaborate in nature. Tests to reveal reduction of resonant
stress in hot sheet-metal parts are recommended as both simple to
execute and meaningful.

3.2.3 Micromechanisms and Models

It is strongly recommended that the possible usefulness of the
concepts of epicycles, generalized hysteresis loops, and power
series be explored to establish the full extent of their value as
research tools. This investigation would of necessity be of a
highly academic nature. It could best be conducted by a team effort.
Pure mathematics, metallurgy, and solid-state physics should be
represented on such a team. Since the concepts seem to apply in
any field in which hysteresis loops appear, academic-level attempts
to apply them to electrical, magnetic, mechanical, and acoustical
problems seem in order.

3.2.4   Improvements to the Model GTP331-30 Engine

The ultimate desireability of maximum noise reduction for the
Model GTP331-30 engine is recognized. The concepts developed
herein and those accomplished under the previous contract,
DA-44-009-ENG-5183, provide a means whereby a lessening in engine
noise can be achieved. It is recommended that a development
program be undertaken with the purpose of incorporating into
an engine all of the known noise-reducing methods. This program would
include three basic phases.

In the first phase, development tests would be conducted on
materials found to dampen vibration, to evaluate their physical pro-
perties at simulated engine operating conditions. These tests would
determine such characteristics as corrosion resistance, thermal
shock, erosion resistance, and resistance to the effects of oxidation
and sulfidation.

With the above knowledge, an engine design study phase would
be initiated. Each engine section would be designed to incorporate
the optimum materials and concepts regarding noise reduction and
operating conditions. Weight, cost, and size studies would be made
to insure the best overall configuration.

In the final phase, an engine would be fabricated and subjected
to an acoustical survey. These results would be compared to the
baseline sound survey and the magnitude of sound reduction noted.

4.0 BASE-LINE SOUND SURVEY OF THE MODEL GTP331 ENGINE

4.1 Background

A fundamental acoustical survey of a new gas turbine engine model has several useful functions. The data obtained can be invaluable to the designer of a system that includes the engine and can cast light on fundamental characteristics of the gas turbine, thus contributing to its improvement. Finally, acoustical data on the bare engine is essential for the optimum design of silencing components to be added to it.

4.1.1 Quantities Measured

How useful acoustical data is depends mainly on the quantities chosen for measurement and the degree of care with which the various sources of noise are separated from each other. Acoustical data consisting of overall sound pressure observations is, in general, of little value since it provides no information as to how the sound is distributed, in frequency, and no clues as to its sources. Sound-pressure-level spectra at arbitrary observation points are slightly more useful, but their magnitude at any other points in space cannot be readily predicted, and information as to the sources of the noise remains lacking.

Acoustic-power-level spectrum is a much more fundamental quality. It is the actual power radiated as sound by a noise source, expressed as a function of frequency. The power could be expressed directly in watts, but a decibel scale is more commonly used. Since acoustic power is essentially independent of both environment and the location of measuring equipment, it is the fundamental acoustical quantity. In principle, if the acoustic power level spectrum

plus a related quantity, directivity index, is known, then the sound
pressure level can be computed at any point in space, in any
environment--be it outdoors or in a room of any size, shape, or
construction.

Source separation is equally vital. The spectrum of a com-
pressor inlet is totally different from that of a turbine exhaust.
A compressor inlet handles ambient air; the turbine exhaust duct
handles products of combustion at perhaps 1200°F. Thus, data on
the combined inlet and exhaust noise will be of little use in the
optimum design of either an inlet or an exhaust silencer.

Other noise sources--body radiation, gear case, and cooling
fan--contribute significantly to the total disturbance. Detailed
knowledge of each is essential to their proper individual treatment.
In summary, a good acoustical study accomplishes the measurement of
acoustical-power-level spectra for each individual noise source
present. Directivity information on the bare engine, although
desirable, is not as important as acoustic power data. Normally,
the engine will be either enclosed or acoustically jacketed. Its
compressor inlet and exhaust will be ducted; the directivity
characteristics of such ducts and silencers are more important than
those of the bare engine.

4.1.2 Testing Performed

The base-line survey of the AiResearch Model GTP331-30 Gas
Turbine Engine was conducted in three phases. The first is the
determination of the turbine exhaust acoustic power level by the
free-field method. Two exhaust configurations were used--a standard
laboratory straight extension and a right-angle duct. The second
phase determined the acoustic power level of the engine less the

exhaust noise by the reverberant-field method. This phase also included a noise separation of the three engine sections--the turbine plenum, the compressor inlet, and the accessory case.

A third phase was added for the acoustic-power-level estimation of the oil-cooler fan noise. The method used consisted of close-in or direct near-field measurements and were only approximate. Additional close-in measurements of the separate engine sections were tape-recorded for a detailed frequency analysis and source-component identification.

4.2 The Measuring Environments

A laboratory test cell, specially modified for acoustic testing, was used for all three phases of this survey. The cell served as a soundproof enclosure for the engine during the free-fiwld measurements, and the bare interior wall surfaces made the building suitable for reverberation measruements conducted within the cell.

The cell is constructed of reinforced concrete having a high transmission loss factor. All openings in the cell were either sealed or acoustically treated, and special commercial sound-proof doors were used on the outside entrance into the cell. The engine intake air was admitted into the cell through special air silencers. The air was also humidified, due to the fact that air absorption of sound can become significant at low humidities, especially at the high frequencies.

Free-field measurement of the exhaust noise was made in the outside space adjacent to the cell-wall exhaust-duct opening. The reverberant-field and direct near field measurements were made within the cell. A special engine enclosure was used whereby the three main engine sections--the turbine plenum, the compressor inlet, and the accessory case--were acoustically separated by compartmentation of the enclosure. Thus, the noise radiated from an engine section could be emitted into the room by removing the three outer panels (the two sides and top) that enclosed the section. With all side and top panels removed, the total engine noise less the turbine exhaust could be measured.

4.3 Free-Field Turbine Exhaust-Noise Test

4.3.1 Determination of Sound Power by the Free-Field Method

The determination of the sound power radiated by a noise source in a free field above a reflecting plane is based on these premises:

1. The reverberant field is negligible at the positions of measurement.

2. The radiated sound power is obtained by a space integration of the sound intensity over an imaginary hemisphere centered on the source of noise.

3. The surface of the hemisphere is in the far field of the source.

The equations utilized to convert the free-field sound pressure measurements to total sound power are briefly outlined below.

For a free progressive wave the sound intensity (I) at a point is proportional to the sound pressure squared.

$$I = \frac{P^2}{\rho_0 C} \qquad \text{where, } P = \text{sound pressure} \qquad (1)$$
$$\rho_0 = \text{density of air}$$
$$C = \text{local velocity of sound in air}$$

The acoustic power (W) is defined as the integral sound intensity (I) over a surface area (S).

$$dW = \int I \, ds \qquad (2)$$

This integral can be evaluated approximately by choosing an array of sound-measuring locations (L) that divide the total surface into small areas (ΔS). Each sound measurement will be associated with a particular area (ΔS_L) and the calculated sound intensity (I_L) will be representative of that area.

therefore,

$$\Delta W = I_L \, \Delta S_L = \frac{P_L^2}{\rho_0 C} \, \Delta S_L \qquad (3)$$

The space sound pressure level (SPL) over the small area is defined by the equation:

$$SPL_L = 20 \log_{10} \frac{P_L}{P_{ref}} = 10 \log_{10} \frac{P_L^2}{P_{ref}^2} \qquad (4)$$

or

$$P_L^2 = P_{ref}^2 \; antilog_{10} \left(\frac{SPL_L}{10}\right) \qquad (5)$$

Substituting into Equation (3):

$$\Delta W_L = \frac{\Delta S_L \; P_{ref}^2}{\rho^{\circ}C} \; antilog_{10}\left(\frac{SPL_L}{10}\right) \qquad (6)$$

The sound power level (PWL) in decibels of the small area is defined by the equation:

$$\Delta PWL_L = 10 \log_{10} \frac{\Delta W_L}{W_{ref}} = 10 \; \log_{10} \; \Delta W_L + 130 db \qquad (7)$$

where, $W_{ref} = 10^{-13}$ watt

Or substituting from Equation (6):

$$\Delta PWL_L = 10 \log_{10} \left[\frac{\Delta S_L \; P_{ref}^2}{\rho^{\circ}C} \; antilog_{10}\left(\frac{SPL_L}{10}\right)\right] + 130 db \qquad (8)$$

And evaluating the constants:

$$\Delta PWL_L = \log_{10} \left[9.08 \times 10^{-14} \Delta S_L \; antilog_{10}\left(\frac{SPL_L}{10}\right)\right] + 130 db \qquad (9)$$

where: ΔS_L = small area in sq ft.

$\rho^{\circ}C$ = 41 gms per cm^2 sec.

P_{ref} = 0.0002 dynes per cm^2

The third-octave sound power in each frequency band is

$$PWL_{1/3\ Oct.} = 10\ \log^{10} \Sigma_L\ [9.08 \times 10^{-14} \Delta S_L\ \text{antilog}_{10}$$

$$(\frac{SPL_{L_1/3\ Oct.}}{10})\ ] + 130\ db \tag{10}$$

The total sound power is:

$$PWL = 10\ \log_{10} \Sigma_{1/3\ Oct}\ \Sigma_L\ [9.08 \times 10^{-14} \Delta S_L\ \text{antilog}_{10}$$

$$(\frac{SPL_{1/3 Oct}}{10})] + 130\ db \tag{11}$$

The number of measuring locations needed will depend on the accuracy required and the directivity of the noise source. Symmetry in the directivity pattern may be utilized to reduce the number of necessary positions.

Once the sound power level is determined as a function of frequency, the directivity index (DI) of a directional source can be evaluated. By definition the directivity index is:

$$DI_{f\theta} = SPL_{f\theta} - \overline{SPL}_s\ db. \tag{12}$$

The $SPL_{f\theta}$ is the sound pressure for a given frequency band (f) in the direction (θ) at a distance (r) from the source. $\overline{SPL}_s$ is the sound pressure that would be produced at the same distance (r) by a nondirectional source radiating the same power for the given frequency band.

4.3.2 Axi-Symmetrical Noise Source Radiating in a Half Space

Gas turbine engine exhaust noise, when radiation from a symmetrical duct, is symmetrical about its gas-flow axis.

The exhaust-noise characteristic directivity pattern exhibits pronounced maxima, usually between 30 to 60 degrees from the flow axis, and minima on the axis of flow. With the exhaust-flow axis in the horizontal plane, parallel to the ground, the total acoustic energy to a first approximation is radiated in the half space containing the gas flow. As a result, sound measurements made on the surface of the half hemisphere would suffice for the sound-power level determination. From the symmetry of the exhaust noise one can assume that the sound pressure is nearly constant for all points on a segment of area. The segment area S is defined as the area on the surface of the half-hemisphere with radius r that is bounded by the arcs of two spherical circles corresponding to different constant values of the angle (θ) measured from the axis of symmetry (exhaust axis).

$$S = \pi r \left(\cos \theta_1 - \cos \theta_2 \right)$$

Figure 4-1 shows a typical area (spherical zone). Where a 180-degree ground arc is used, each segment of area (with the exception of the segment on the gas flow axis) is further divided by the XZ plane into two equal areas as shown in Figure 4-1. Also presented in the figure are the measuring locations on a 180-degree arc and the associated zone areas, which make up the 50-foot-radius half hemisphere used for the free-field test. The actual measuring positions are located approximately 5 feet above ground level on the horizontal arc.

4.3.3 Non-Axi-Symmetrical Noise Source

The previous discussion (section 4.3.2) has assumed a symmetrical noise source about the axis of the exhaust flow, and therefore the sound measurements on the ground arc were considered representative of an entire spherical zone (see Figure 4-1). Where the sound is nonsymmetrical, these spherical zones must be further divided. Ideally, this would be accomplished by rotating the
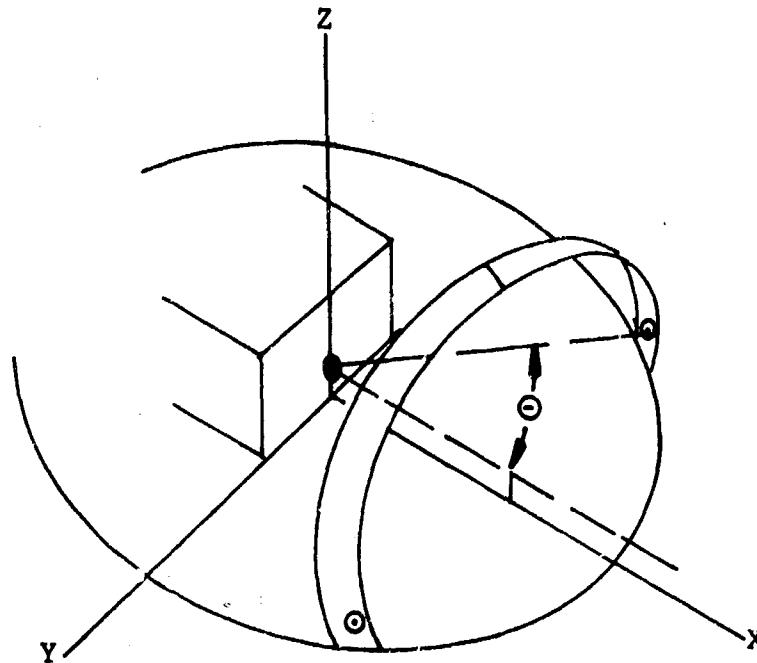
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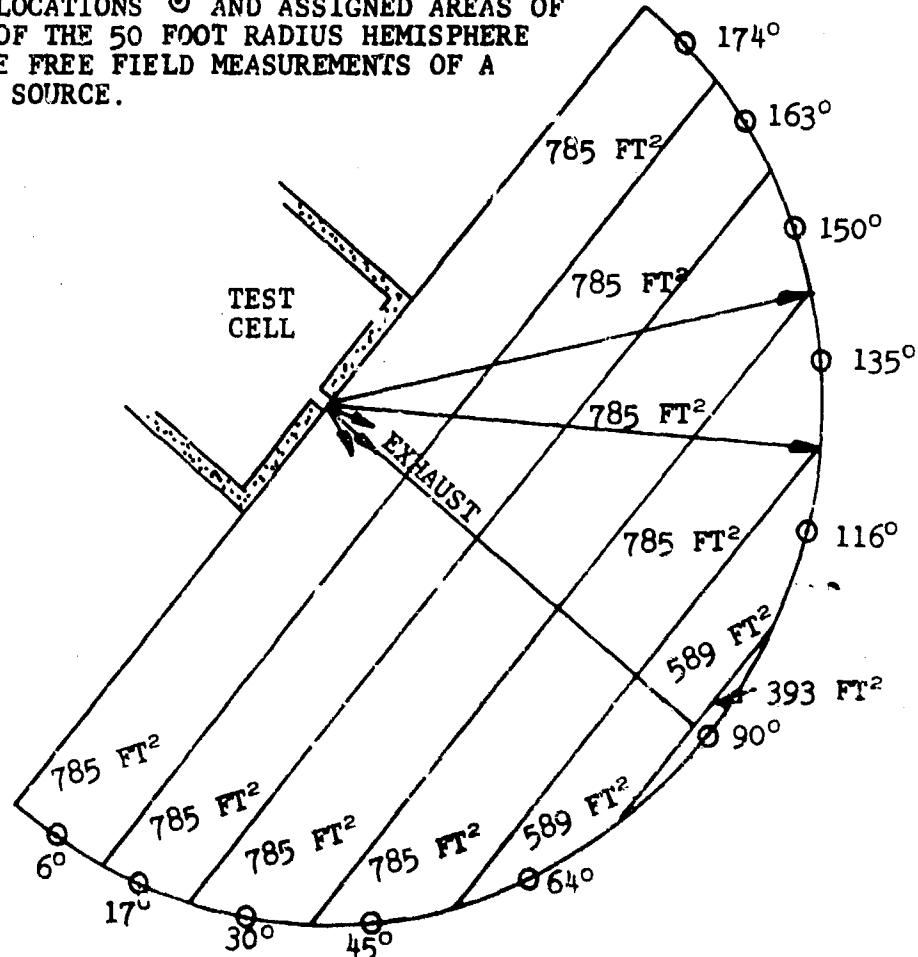
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FIGURE 4-1

arc of measuring stations about the exhaust axis. Each measuring arc would sample a spherical triangle with apex on the exhaust axis and the area associated with each individual measuring point would be the overlap area between the spherical zone and the spherical triangle. Figure 4-2A shows a typical area.

Therefore the above method was modified to maintain the measuring stations on a ground arc and rotate the noise source instead. This practice accomplishes the same purpose but overcomes the difficulties of measuring stations that would be at considerable elevation above the ground. The right angle exhaust duct aft of its junction with the straight extension piece was rotated clock-wise on its axis in 30-degree increments through 150 degrees.

4.3.4 Turbine Exhaust Noise Test

Two exhaust configurations were tested. The first was the straight exhaust extension shown in Figure 4-3. (as it protrudes through the cell wall). The extension was a 12-inch-diameter duct. The second configuration was the right-angle duct shown in Figure 4-4 viewed in the 90-degree position. The outlet end was approximately 26.5 inches by 5.4 inches. The right angle duct is attached to the straight exhaust extension as shown in Figure 4-5 viewed from the outlet end.

Because of the additional numberical complexities of the nonaxi-symmetrical system, AiResearch has developed a digital computer program to convert the raw sound measurements into sound power levels and to calculate the directivity index.
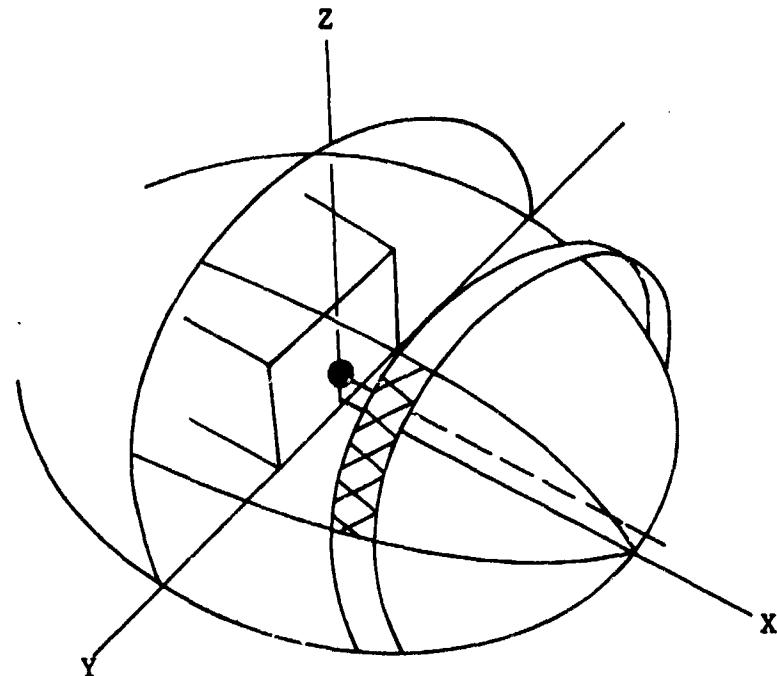
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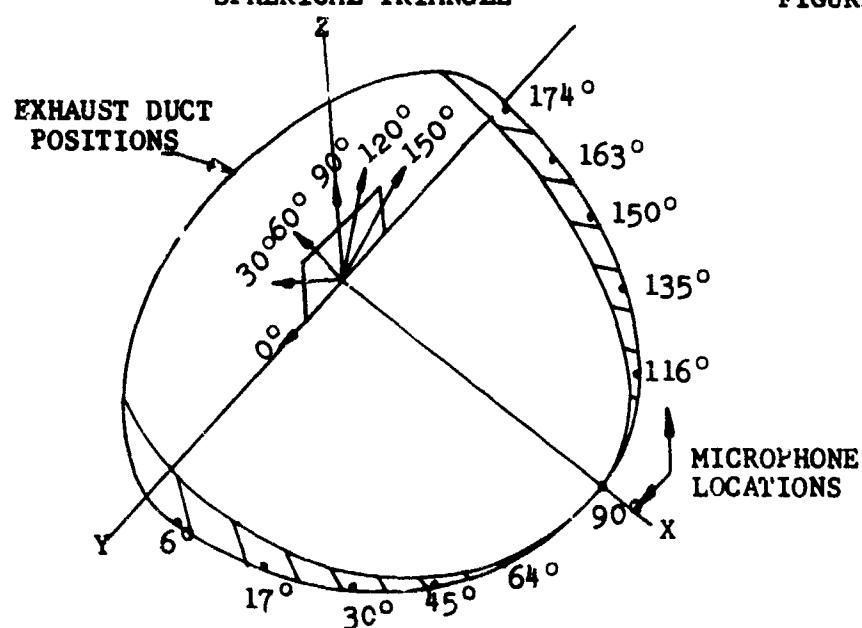
FIGURE 4-2A

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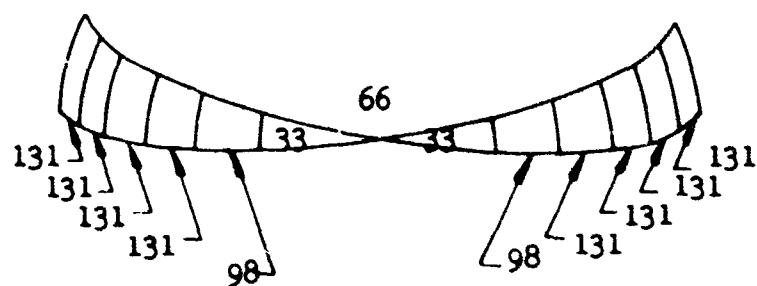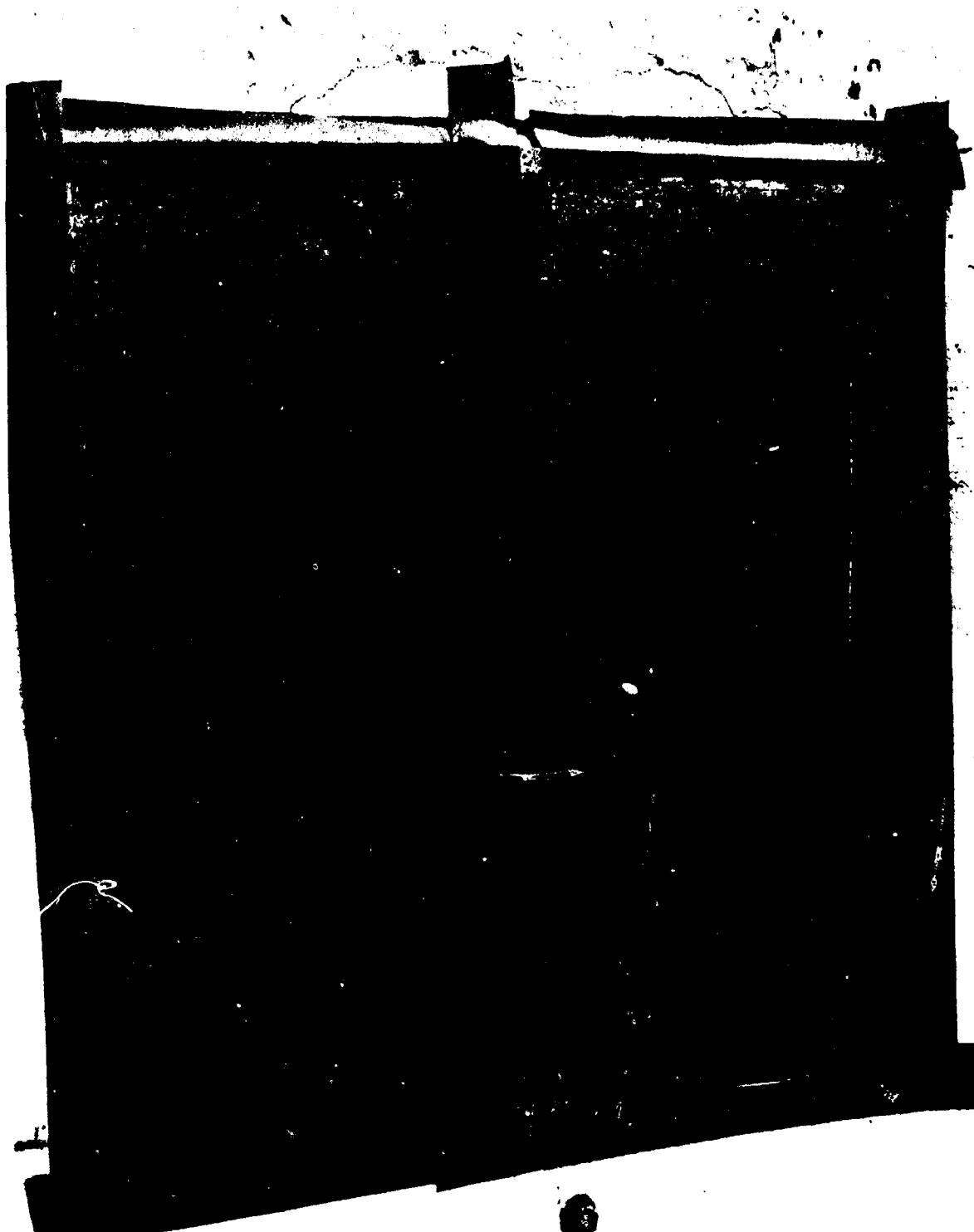
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STRAIGHT EXHAUST DUCT

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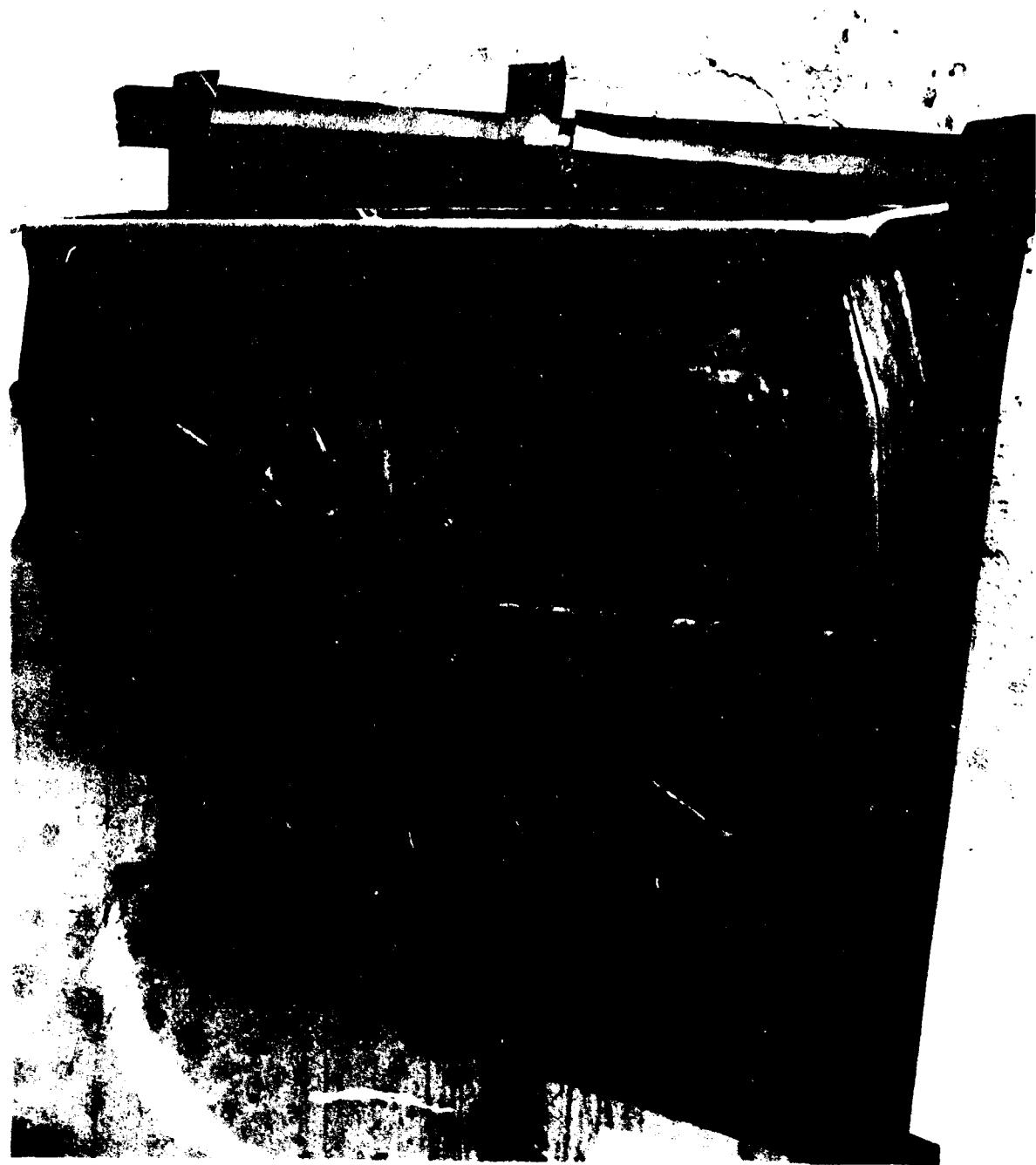
FIGURE 4-4

GTP331-30 EXHAUST NOISE TEST
RIGHT ANGLE EXHAUST DUCT

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FIGURE 4-5

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RIGHT ANGLE DUCT ATTACHED
TO STRAIGHT EXHAUST DUCT
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Graphs 4-1 and 4-2 present the sound power levels, in one-third octaves, of the turbine exhaust noise emitted from the straight exhaust extension and the right-angle duct, for the no-load and full-load operating conditions.

Tabulated in Tables 4-1 through 4-4 are the directivity indices of the exhaust noise for both exhaust configurations at the no-load and full-load conditions. The measuring locations are identified by the coordinate system used in Figures 4-1 and 4-2.

4.3.5   Interpretation of the Turbine Exhaust Acoustic Power Spectrum

Presented in Graphs 4-1 and 4-2 are the acoustic power level spectra of the turbine exhaust noise emitted from the straight exhaust-duct extension and the right-angle exhaust duct. A broad-band low-frequency hump, which predominates the spectrum is observed for both duct configurations and load conditions. This hump is normally found with gas turbine engine exhaust noise and was assumed to be associated with the combustion process. Several hypotheses have been formulated to explain the hump. The first is the combustion process itself. A second is the acoustical network within the turbine having some form of band-pass character. A third is a combination of the combustion process and the acoustical network, whereby some type of feedback occurs between the two. These hypotheses have never been fully investigated.

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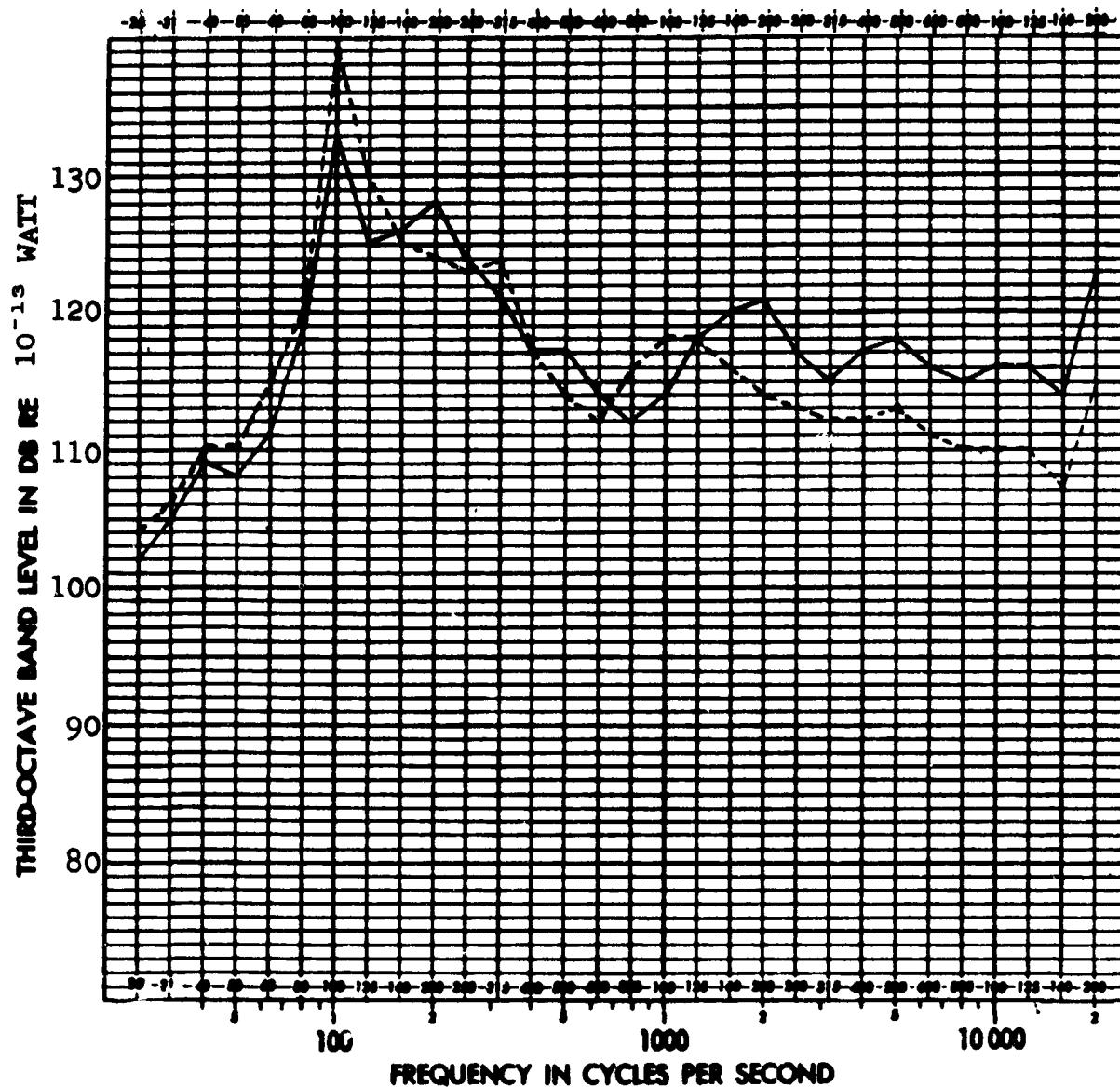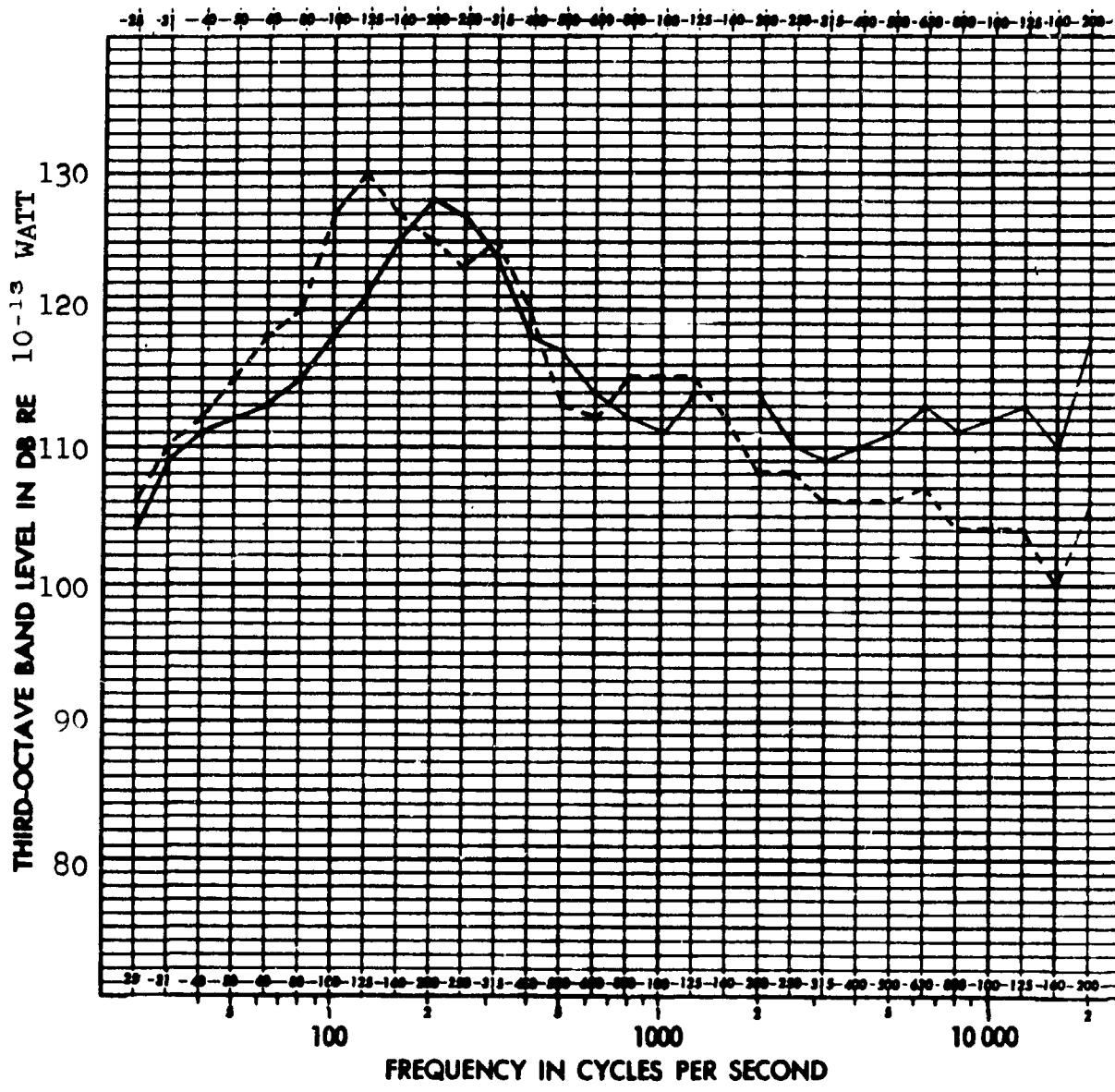
GRAPH 4-1 — 1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM OF GTP331-30 EXHAUST NOISE NO LOAD CONDITION

———————— STRAIGHT EXHAUST DUCT

— — — — — — RIGHT ANGLE EXHAUST DUCT

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GRAPH 4-2   1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM OF
GTP331-30 EXHAUST NOISE
FULL LOAD CONDITION

———————— STRAIGHT EXHAUST DUCT

— — — — — RIGHT ANGLE EXHAUST DUCT

TABLE 4-1
TURBINE EXHAUST DIRECTIVITY INDEX (db)
GTP331-30 WITH STRAIGHT EXHAUST DUCT

NO LOAD CONDITION

DUCT POSITION / MICROPHONE LOCATION	PREFERRED OCTAVE BAND CENTER FREQUENCY CPS									
	31.5	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000	16000
-- 6°	5	6	3	5	7	8	8	7	9	10
-- 17°	6	6	6	7	8	5	7	9	9	8
-- 30°	5	6	7	8	6	4	10	7	7	8
-- 45°	5	6	6	6	7	4	1	1	2	2
-- 64°	7	1	-2	3	2	6	0	4	6	4
-- 90°	7	1	-2	0	1	1	-1	3	3	1
-- 116°	9	5	2	4	2	5	4	7	6	5
-- 135°	8	5	6	6	5	4	0	2	4	3
-- 150°	9	9	9	7	8	5	7	4	3	4
-- 163°	5	10	9	8	7	9	6	10	7	6
-- 174°	3	6	9	8	8	9	9	6	7	8

FULL LOAD CONDITION

DUCT POSITION / MICROPHONE LOCATION	31.5	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000	16000
-- 6°	8	6	3	4	8	7	5	6	9	11
-- 17°	9	7	4	7	9	7	8	10	10	11
-- 30°	7	7	7	7	8	7	10	11	8	9
-- 45°	7	8	7	5	3	3	-1	1	1	0
-- 64°	7	5	4	3	0	2	-4	-4	-5	-7
-- 90°	7	5	4	2	-1	-3	-7	-7	-9	-12
-- 116°	7	5	7	4	-2	0	-4	-5	-6	-7
-- 135°	6	6	7	7	4	4	4	1	0	-1
-- 150°	5	7	7	8	8	9	9	5	6	5
-- 163°	2	6	9	8	7	10	6	9	10	7
-- 174°	3	5	6	8	8	7	9	5	7	6

TABLE 4-2

TURBINE EXHAUST DIRECTIVITY INDEX (db) GTP331-30 WITH RIGHT ANGLE EXHAUST DUCT-NO LOAD CONDITION

DUCT POSITION/ MICROPHONE LOC.	PREFERRED OCTAVE BAND CENTER FREQUENCY CPS									
	31.5	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000	16000
0°/6°	5	6	5	3	2	-3	-5	-6	-5	-4
0°/17°	4	7	5	9	8	3	4	4	5	3
0°/30°	4	7	7	11	10	5	12	10	10	9
0°/45°	4	8	9	9	7	13	14	13	13	12
0°/64°	8	8	8	6	7	8	10	10	12	12
0°/90°	8	6	2	4	8	5	4	6	7	7
0°/116°	7	5	3	4	8	3	-1	-2	-1	1
0°/135°	5	4	4	4	7	2	0	-4	-4	-3
0°/150°	7	6	4	5	6	2	1	-4	-5	-5
0°/163°	5	5	5	6	4	0	2	-3	-4	-8
0°/174°	2	2	2	7	9	-1	0	-5	-6	-8
30°/6°	6	7	7	7	5	6	2	2	1	2
30°/17°	4	7	7	10	9	9	8	7	7	7
30°/30°	4	7	9	10	7	6	11	11	10	10
30°/45°	4	8	10	9	7	10	12	13	13	12
30°/64°	7	7	9	6	7	8	8	10	12	12
30°/90°	5	6	3	4	8	6	3	4	6	7
30°/116°	6	4	2	3	7	4	-1	-1	1	2
30°/135°	7	6	3	4	6	4	1	-2	-2	-2
30°/150°	6	6	3	4	6	4	1	-3	-4	-4
30°/163°	5	6	3	5	4	1	2	-1	-4	-6
30°/174°	3	2	1	7	7	-2	-1	-2	-4	-7
60°/6°	4	6	7	7	6	5	4	8	7	7
60°/17°	5	5	8	8	8	1	9	8	8	8
60°/30°	5	7	10	8	6	8	9	11	10	9
60°/45°	5	9	11	6	6	8	10	11	11	10
60°/64°	7	8	10	4	6	8	5	7	9	10
60°/90°	6	5	5	4	8	7	2	4	7	8
60°/116°	8	5	5	3	5	6	3	1	4	5
60°/135°	8	6	5	3	4	7	3	1	2	3
60°/150°	8	7	5	4	5	8	1	-1	-2	0
60°/163°	6	7	5	6	3	1	2	-1	2	-2
60°/174°	4	3	2	6	6	-1	-1	-2	-3	-3

TABLE 4-2 (Contd.)

TURBINE EXHAUST DIRECTIVITY INDEX (db) GTP331-30
WITH RIGHT ANGLE EXHAUST DUCT-NO LOAD CONDITION

DUCT POSITION / MICROPHONE LOC.	31.5	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000	16000
90°/6°	3	5	7	2	5	1	-2	1	3	3
90°/17°	1	5	7	5	7	-1	4	3	4	5
90°/30°	2	7	9	5	5	4	5	5	5	6
90°/45°	4	9	10	3	6	6	6	6	7	7
90°/64°	7	9	10	3	5	7	2	4	6	7
90°/90°	6	7	6	4	5	6	_	4	6	6
90°/116°	7	5	5	3	5	8	4	5	6	7
90°/135°	7	6	5	5	4	10	5	7	7	7
90°/150°	6	7	6	6	6	8	4	6	5	5
90°/163°	5	7	7	8	4	1	1	2	4	4
90°/174°	4	4	4	9	7	-1	0	4	3	4
120°/6°	2	3	5	3	6	-2	-4	-2	-3	-2
120°/17°	4	5	6	4	6	-1	2	0	-1	1
120°/30°	4	5	7	4	4	2	1	2	0	3
120°/45°	4	7	10	1	4	0	1	1	2	6
120°/64°	7	8	8	2	5	5	1	1	3	6
120°/90°	6	6	5	3	7	6	3	4	6	9
120°/116°	8	5	6	4	5	8	6	8	10	10
120°/135°	8	7	5	6	7	12	7	11	11	11
120°/150°	9	8	6	8	8	8	6	7	8	8
120°/163°	6	7	6	9	6	8	4	4	4	5
120°/174°	3	5	5	2	8	4	5	5	4	3
150°/6°	2	3	4	4	5	1	-2	-2	4	-6
150°/17°	4	5	5	6	6	-1	3	1	-2	-4
150°/30°	4	6	7	6	4	2	2	-1	-2	-3
150°/45°	11	7	8	2	6	1	3	-3	-2	-1
150°/64°	14	7	8	4	7	4	1	-1	1	1
150°/90°	10	6	3	4	6	5	3	6	7	7
150°/116°	11	6	5	5	6	11	10	10	11	11
150°/135°	11	7	5	8	8	14	12	14	13	12
150°/150°	8	9	6	12	10	5	15	11	10	9
150°/163°	8	8	6	8	10	13	11	7	6	3
150°/174°	6	7	5	4	4	2	1	1	0	-3

TABLE 4-3

TURBINE EXHAUST DIRECTIVITY INDEX (db) GTP331-30
WITH RIGHT ANGLE EXHAUST DUCT FULL LOAD CONDITION

DUCT POSITION / MICROPHONE LOC.	PREFERRED OCTAVE BAND CENTER FREQUENCY-CPS									
	31.5	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000	16000
0°/6°	5	6	4	1	-5	-8	-10	-9	-11	-12
0°/17°	4	8	6	7	6	-1	-3	-3	-1	-1
0°/30°	4	7	10	10	12	6	8	7	7	6
0°/45°	5	8	9	11	11	10	14	12	12	11
0°/64°	8	9	8	6	4	9	11	12	13	10
0°/90°	6	8	6	3	6	7	5	7	8	10
0°/116°	8	6	6	2	5	4	1	0	1	3
0°/135°	5	5	6	4	4	3	3	-2	-2	1
0°/150°	7	7	5	5	6	2	2	-1	-2	0
0°/163°	3	6	7	6	4	-1	4	-1	-2	-2
0°/174°	3	3	5	7	8	-2	1	-3	-4	-3
30°/6°	7	7	4	4	3	-4	-5	-4	-4	-5
30°/17°	5	9	8	7	4	-2	-2	0	1	1
30°/30°	7	9	9	10	10	6	10	9	7	4
30°/45°	6	8	9	10	7	12	12	13	11	8
30°/64°	8	9	8	5	4	11	10	11	11	11
30°/90°	8	8	6	2	6	9	5	8	9	8
30°/116°	8	4	5	2	6	7	1	1	2	3
30°/135°	7	5	6	3	5	6	2	1	-1	2
30°/150°		5	6	4	3	5	3	0	-1	1
30°/163°	4	6	8	6	2	3	3	0	-3	-2
30°/174°	2	3	6	8	4	0	-1	-1	-4	-4
60°/6°	7	6	4	6	7	3	2	6	5	5
60°17°	5	8	6	8	8	1	6	8	8	7
60°/30°	5	6	8	9	9	4	9	9	8	8
60°/45°	5	8	9	7	7	9	9	11	10	10
60°/64°	8	8	7	5	5	10	6	8	10	11
60°/90°	7	7	5	4	6	10	4	6	8	8
60°/116°	8	4	5	3	5	8	3	4	4	5
60°/135°	8	4	6	4	5	6	3	3	3	4
60°/150°	6	5	5	4	4	6	5	3	2	3
60°/163°	5	4	7	6	2	4	3	1	0	1
60°/174°	3	2	6	5	6	-1	0	0	0	1

TABLE 4-3 (Contd.)

DUCT POSITION / MICROPHONE LOC.	PREFERRED OCTAVE BAND CENTER FREQUENCY-CPS									
	31.5	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000	16000
90°/6°	3	5	1	4	6	3	1	4	5	5
90°/17°	4	8	4	6	6	1	4	5	6	7
90°/30°	5	6	6	6	7	3	7	7	7	7
90°/45°	5	8	6	4	4	5	9	7	7	8
90°/64°	7	8	5	3	4	9	5	6	7	8
90°/90°	8	6	5	3	6	11	4	7	8	8
90°/116°	10	4	5	3	4	8	4	6	8	8
90°/135°	7	5	5	5	5	8	6	7	7	8
90°/150°	6	8	7	6	8	6	5	6	6	6
90°/163°	4	6	8	9	5	4	3	4	4	4
90°/174°	4	3	6	7	9	2	4	6	5	4
120°/6°	4	3	1	2	4	0	-1	0	2	4
120°/17°	4	5	5	4	4	0	4	2	2	6
120°/30°	6	6	6	4	3	2	5	4	4	6
120°/45°	4	7	6	2	5	2	7	4	5	7
120°/64°	6	6	4	2	5	7	3	4	6	8
120°/90°	8	6	5	2	5	10	3	7	9	10
120°/116°	8	5	5	5	4	11	7	10	11	11
120°/135°	7	6	6	8	6	11	8	10	10	11
120°/150°	9	9	8	8	9	5	7	7	7	8
120°/163°	7	8	10	8	6	8	6	4	4	5
120°/174°	6	5	7	8	6	0	3	3	2	1
150°/6°	4	2	0	4	5	0	0	1	-1	1
150°/17°	4	2	3	5	5	-2	4	2	0	1
150°/30°	6	4	7	5	3	1	4	3	0	2
150°/45°	9	6	5	3	6	0	4	1	2	3
150°/64°	8	6	5	1	5	5	2	1	3	5
150°/90°	10	6	7	3	5	8	4	7	9	10
150°/116°	11	6	6	7	4	12	11	13	13	12
150°/135°	9	7	9	10	8	12	14	13	13	12
150°/150°	11	9	8	13	12	12	12	7	8	7
150°/163°	7	7	8	7	9	8	6	4	3	4
150°/174°	5	4	5	4	1	-1	-4	-3	-3	-3

Along with the low-frequency hump is a pure-tone spike in the 100-cps third-octave band at the no-load condition. At the full-load condition the pure-tone spike either disappears or decreases in magnitude. This spike has been observed once before on another Model 331 unit, but occurred in the 125-cps band.

The remaining noise spectrum above the 800-cycle band has some small humps which are generally attributed to aerodynamic sources. There is evidence of a turbine blade passage pure-tone fundamental in the 20,000-cycle band. The fundamental actually is just within the bandwidth of the 25,000-cps third-octave band.

4.4 Reverberant-Room Engine Noise Test

4.4.1 Determination of Sound Power

The remaining engine noise, less the turbine exhaust noise, was analyzed by the reverberant-field method. Briefly stated, when a noise source is placed within a room that contains little sound absorption a steady-state condition occurs whereby the energy absorbed by the room boundary surfaces equals the energy delivered by the sound source. In this state of equilibrium there exists a reverberant field where the sound level is relatively uniform and essentially independent of the distance from the noise source. This assumes that the room is large compared to the noise source and a reverberant field exists that is not dominated by the direct near field. The "reverberant field" is the sound energy in a room after the first reflection. Energy that has not undergone a reflection is called the "direct field."

The sound pressure level measured in the reverberant field is proportional to the acoustic power output of the noise source. The factor of proportionality (room constant) is related to the geometry of the room and the amount of sound absorption present. The room constant is determined by a room calibration process in which the decay rate of sound is measured as a function of frequency.

4.4.2 Reverberant-Room Measurements

Filtered third-octave band random noise was used to calibrate the measuring room. The reverberation time (decay rate) was recorded for each third-octave band in the frequency range of 100 cps to 20,000 cps. Sabine's reverberant-field formula was used to determine the room constant.

$$T = \frac{0.049V}{S\alpha}$$

T = reverberation time in seconds

α = average room absorption coefficient

V = room volume in cubic feet

$$R = \frac{S\alpha}{1-\alpha}$$

S = room surface area in square feet

R = room constant in feet

The room was calibrated for each test run because of changes in the room atmosphere (temperature and humidity), and the enclosure used for the engine noise separation.

Third-octave-band sound pressure levels were measured at three locations in the reverberant field for esch test run. From these measurements a space average sound pressure level "SPL" was computed. The sound power level "PWL" radiated from the test specimen was computed from the space average "SPL" and the room constant proportionality factor "R" as follows.

$$PWL = SPL + 10 \log_{10} R - 6.5 \text{ db}.$$

4.4.3 Engine Noise Test

The test engine was placed in a special enclosure as mentioned in Section 4.2. Figure 4-6 shows the enclosure, which is constructed of 1 1/2-inch-thick plywood. An air silencer was placed on top of the enclosure for the compressor air inlet, and air duct silencers were placed on the vent air openings in the turbine section. All enclosure joints were sealed. Special gasketing material was placed on the three panels that divided the engine sections between the engine surface and the panel. This minimized transmission of engine vibration to the enclosure and isolated the noise between engine sections. Preliminary sound measurements were made with the engine operating within the sealed enclosure to establish its effectivness and locate any noise leaks. These results dictated placement of sound absorption on the inner sides of the removable panels. Thus, a minimum noise base-line was established, which set the lower limit of the measurable noise from the individual engine sections. Shown in Figure 4-7 is the enclosure configuration with all outer panels removed. Sound measurements made in the room with the above enclosure configuration established the total engine radiated noise (bare engine) less the exhaust noise. Reverberant-field measurements were made at the no-load and full-load engine operating condition for all enclosure configurations tested.

FIGURE 4-6

GTP331-30 REVERBERANT ROOM TEST
ENGINE COMPLETELY ENCLOSED
WITH AIR INLET SILENCERS
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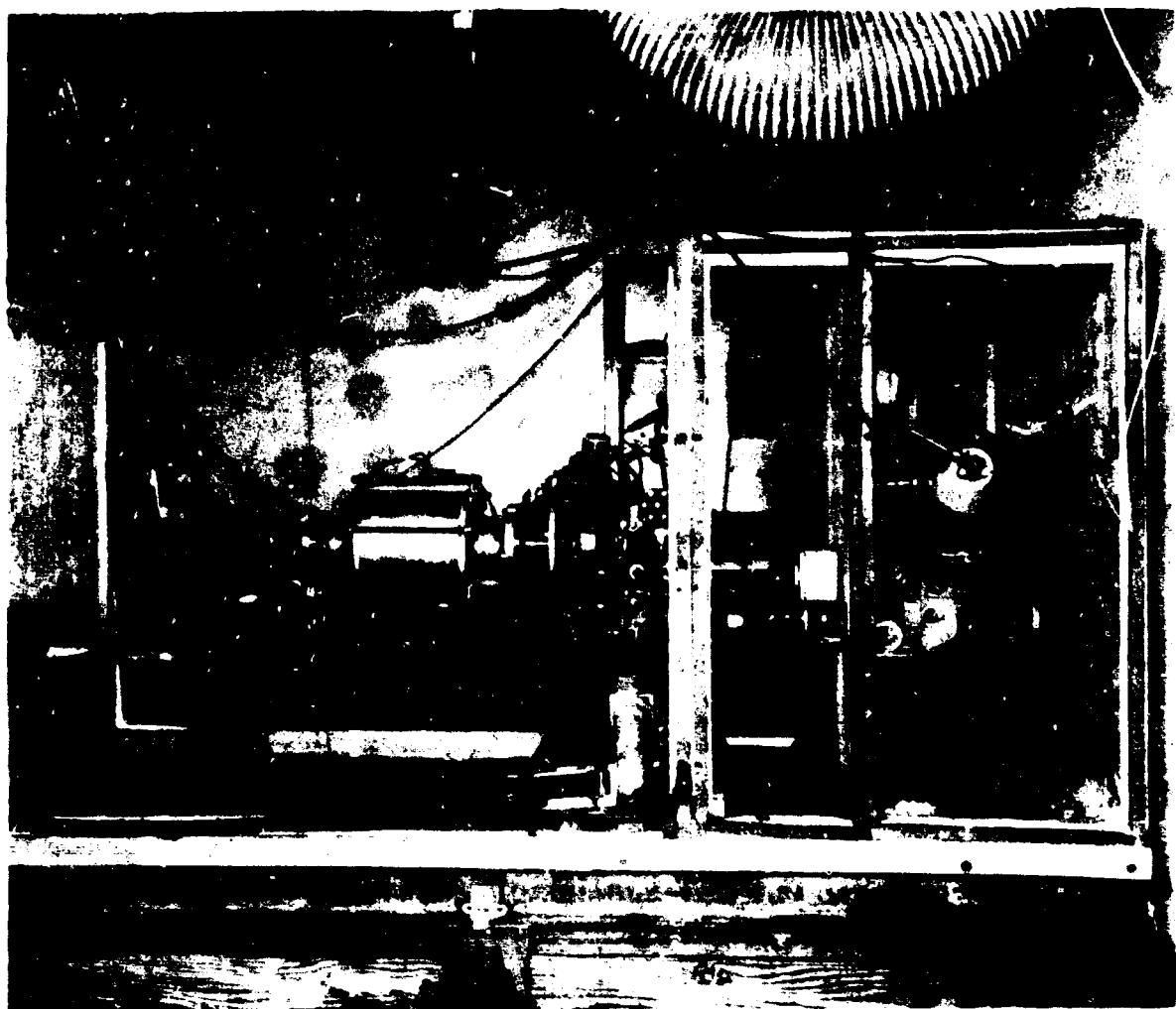
FIGURE 4-7

GTP331-30 REVERBERANT ROOM TEST
BARE ENGINE, PANELS (SIDES AND TOP)
REMOVED FROM ENCLOSURE
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The enclosure configuration for each engine section is shown
in the following figures: the turbine plenum sections, Figure 4-8
the compressor air inlet section, Figure 4-9; and the accessory gear
case section with the water dynamometer, Figure 4-10.

The acoustic power radiated from each engine section is presented
in the following graphs. The turbine plenum, Graphs 4-3 and 4-4; the
compressor inlet, Graphs 4-5 and 4-6 the accessory section without
the oil-cooler fan, Graphs 4-7 and 4-8. Also presented in each of
the above graphs is the total sound power radiated from the bare
engine (with all enclosure exterior panels removed) and the
enclosed engine. The turbine exhaust noise is excluded. The
engine was operated throughou the base-line survey with an external
water-cooled oil heat exchanger.

A special test run of the accessory case was performed with
an oil-cooler fan assembly. The fan was attached to and driven
from an output drive pad of the accessory case; the oil reservoir
of the cooler was filled and capped to simulate the damping effect
of the engine oil. The acoustic power spectrum of the accessory
case with and without the oil-cooler fan is presented in Graph 9.

4.4.4 Oil-Cooler-Fan Acoustic Power Level

A third phase was initiated as a check to redetermine the oil-
cooler fan acoustic power. This phase consisted of the measurement
of the direct near field or close-in field. Although this method
is approximate and has certain limitations, it can serve to estimate
a particular noise source, especially if the source is not masked
by other noise components.

FIGURE 4-8

GTP331-30 REVERBERANT ROOM TEST
TURBINE PLENUM SECTION

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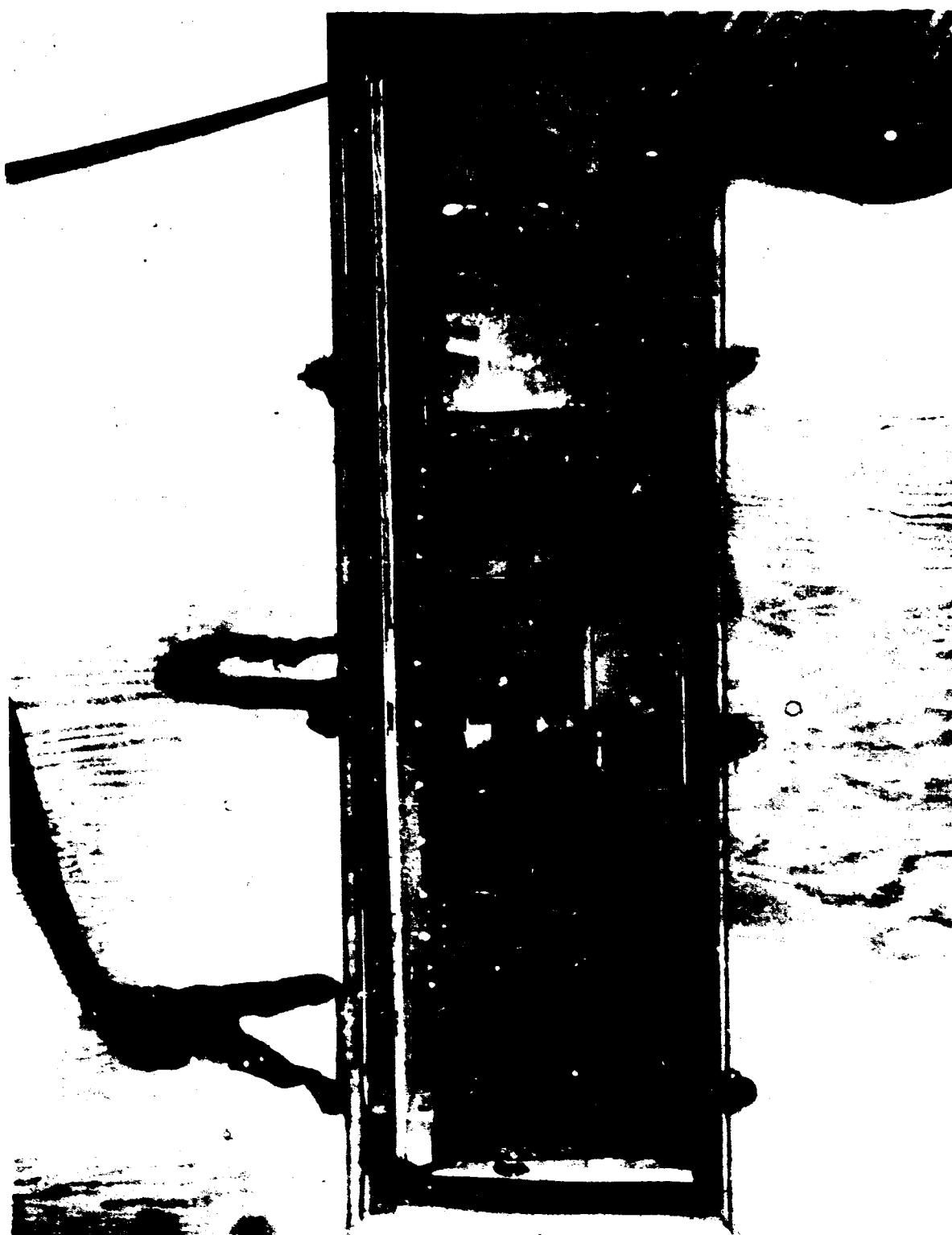
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GTP331-30 REVERBERANT ROOM TEST
COMPRESSOR SECTION

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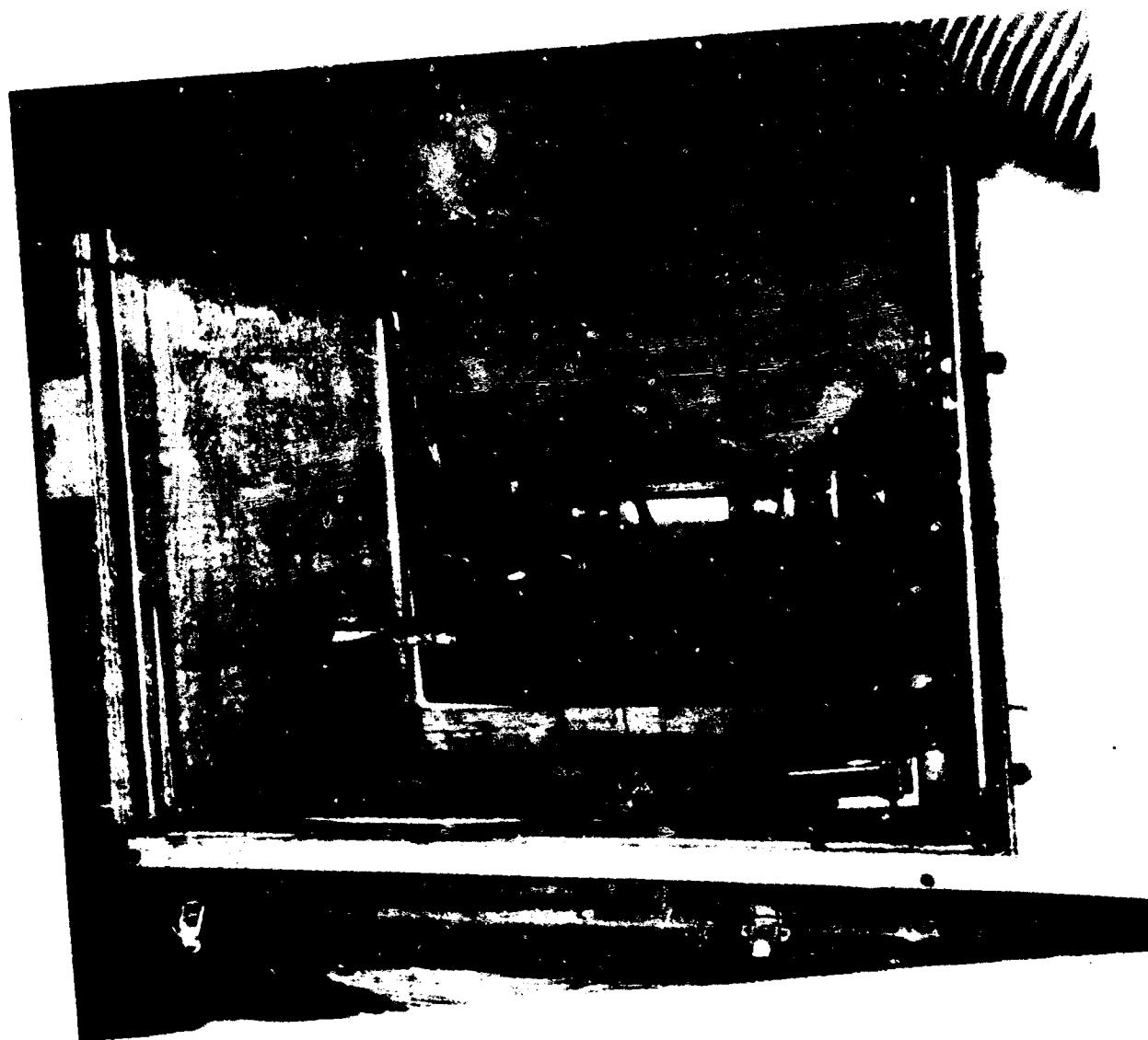
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GTP351-30 REVERBERANT ROOM TEST
ACCESSORY SECTION

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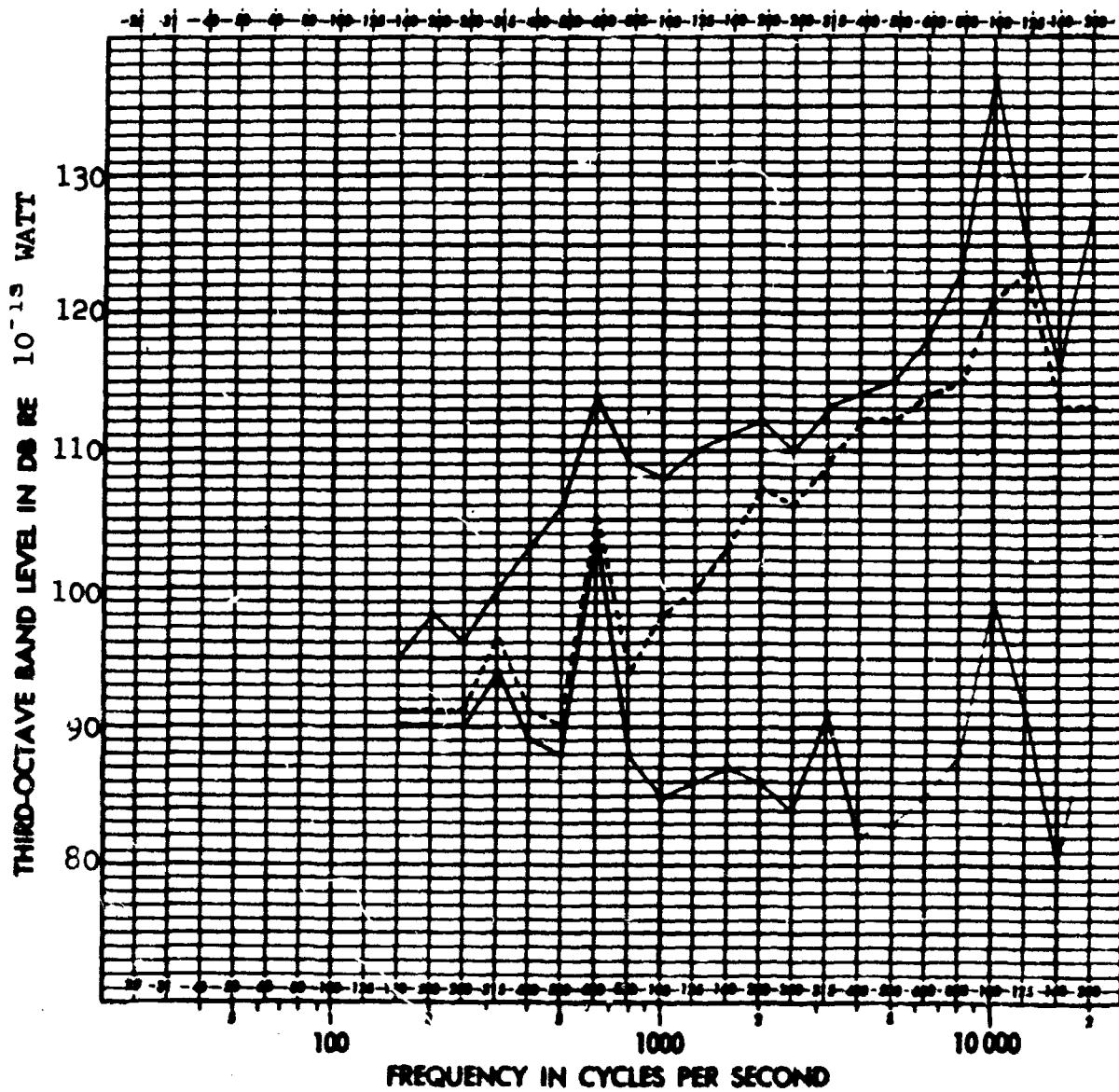
GRAPH 4-3   1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM OF
                   GTP331-30 TURBINE PLENUM RADIATED NOISE
                   NO LOAD CONDITION

                                        EXHAUST NOISE EXCLUDED

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                   _ _ _ _ _ _ TURBINE PLENUM
                   LOWER _____ TOTAL POWER ENCLOSED ENGINE

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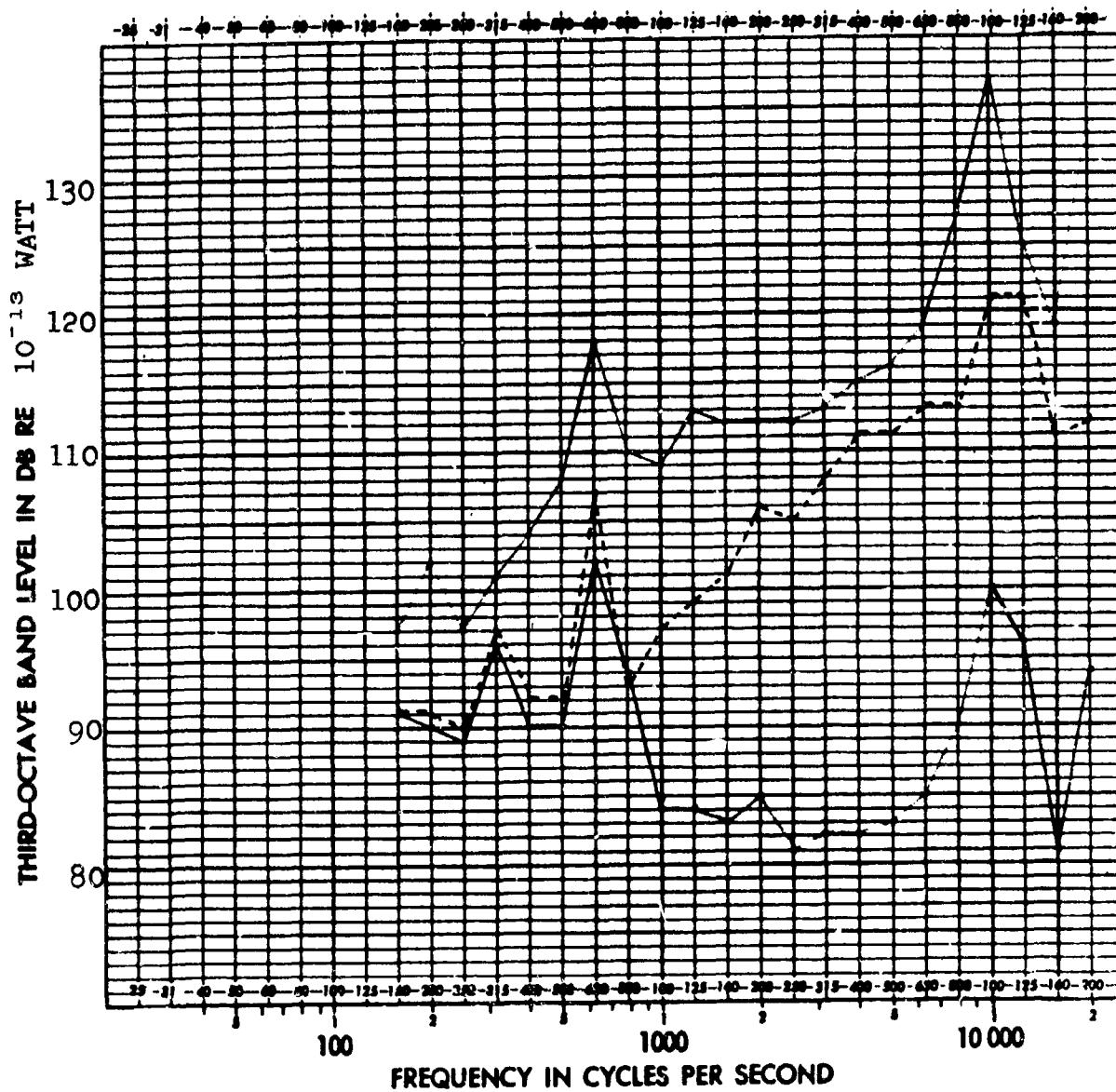
GRAPH 4-4

1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
GTP331-30 TURBINE PLENUM RADIATED NOISE
FULL LOAD CONDITION

EXHAUST NOISE EXCLUDED

Upper _____ TOTAL POWER BARE ENGINE

_ _ _ _ _ TURBINE PLENUM

Lower _____ TOTAL POWER ENCLOSED ENGINE

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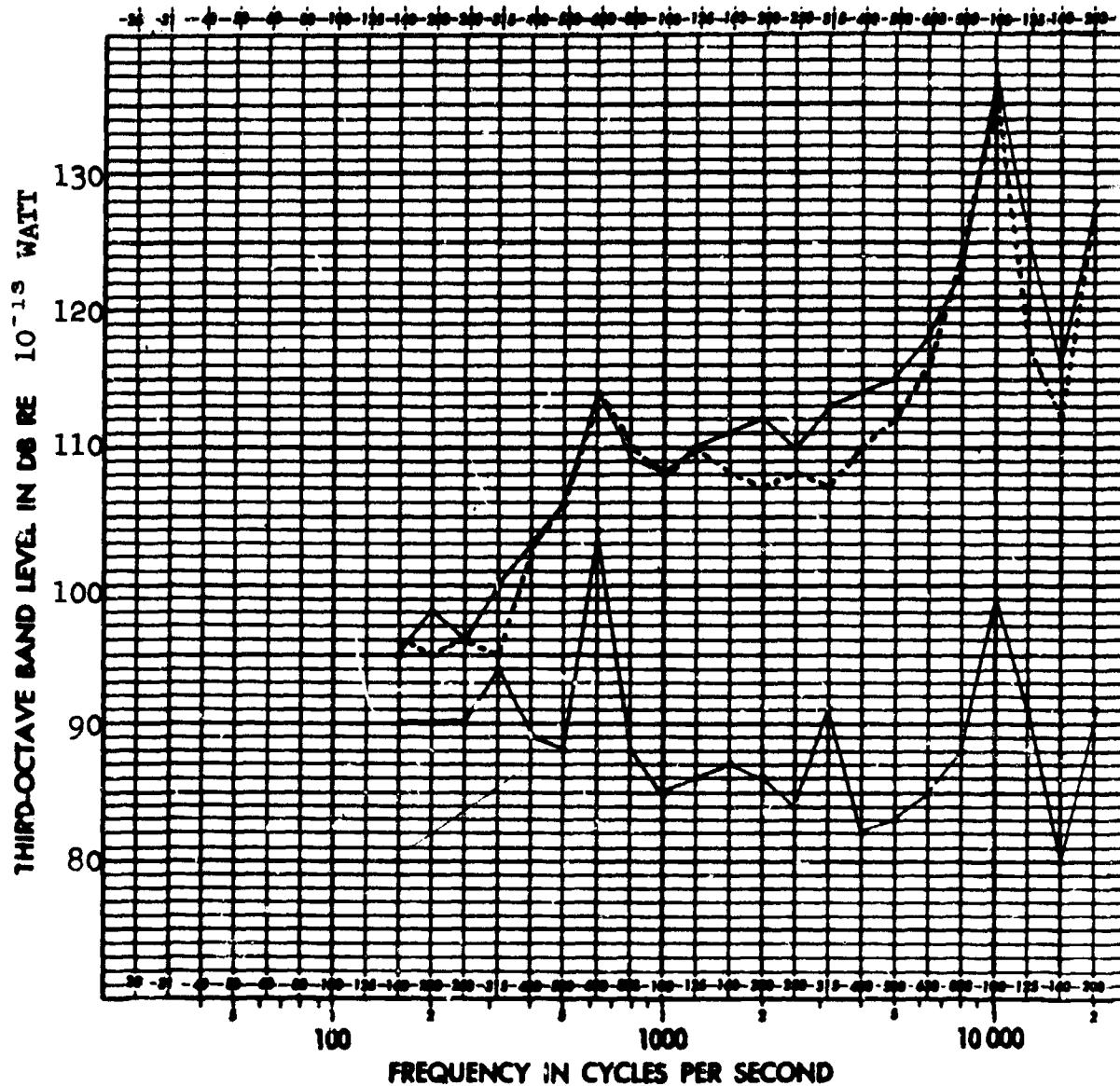
GRAPH 4-5

1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
GTP331-30 COMPRESSOR INLET NOISE
NO LOAD CONDITION

E.XHAUST NOISE EXCLUDED

Upper TOTAL POWER BARE ENGINE

_ _ _ _ COMPRESSOR INLET

Lower TOTAL POWER ENCLOSED ENGINE

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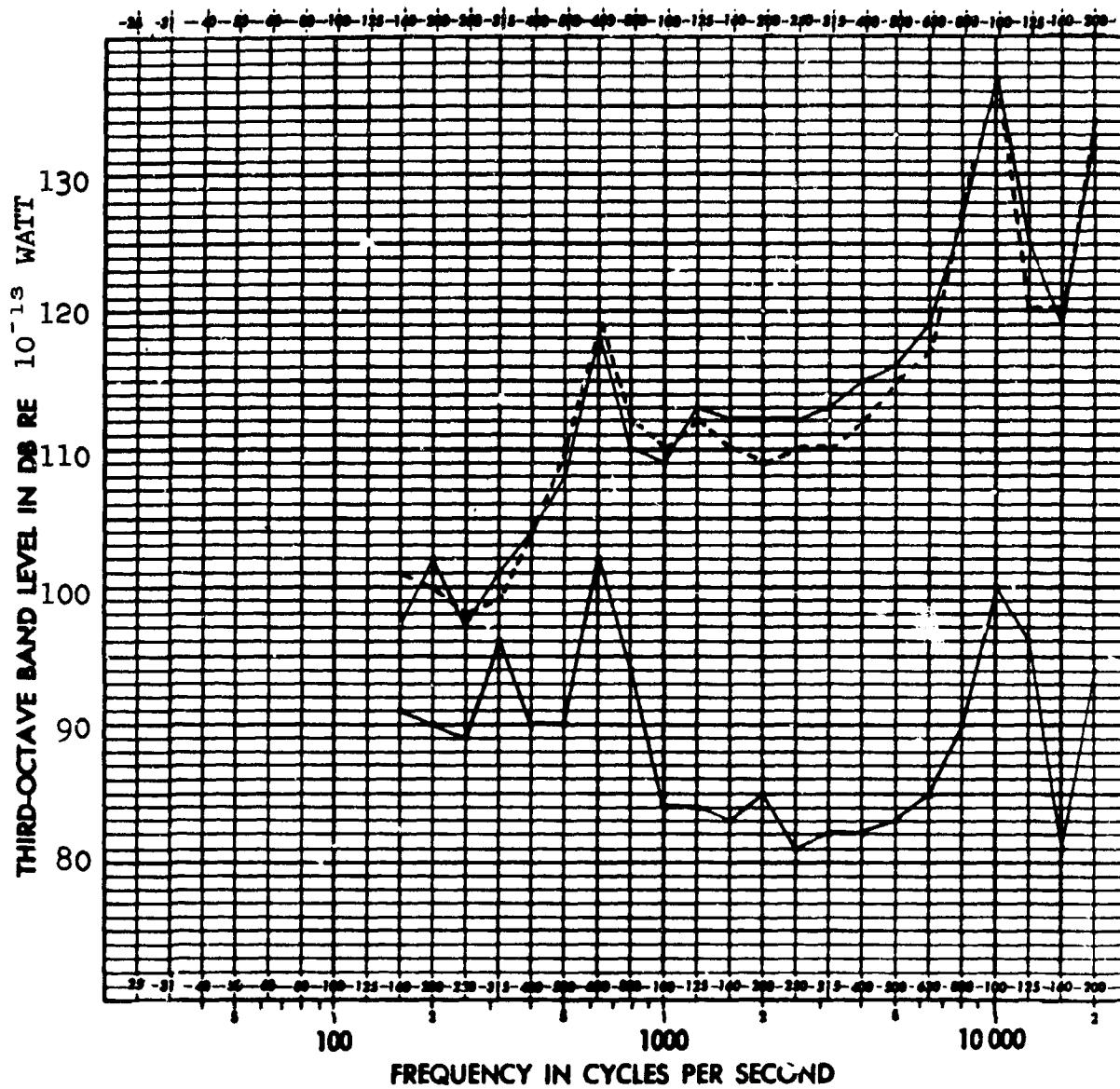
GRAPH 4-6

1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
GTP331-30 COMPRESSOR INLET NOISE
FULL LOAD CONDITION

EXHAUST NOISE EXCLUDED

Upper TOTAL POWER BARE ENGINE

_ _ _ _ _ COMPRESSOR INLET

Lower TOTAL POWER ENCLOSED ENGINE

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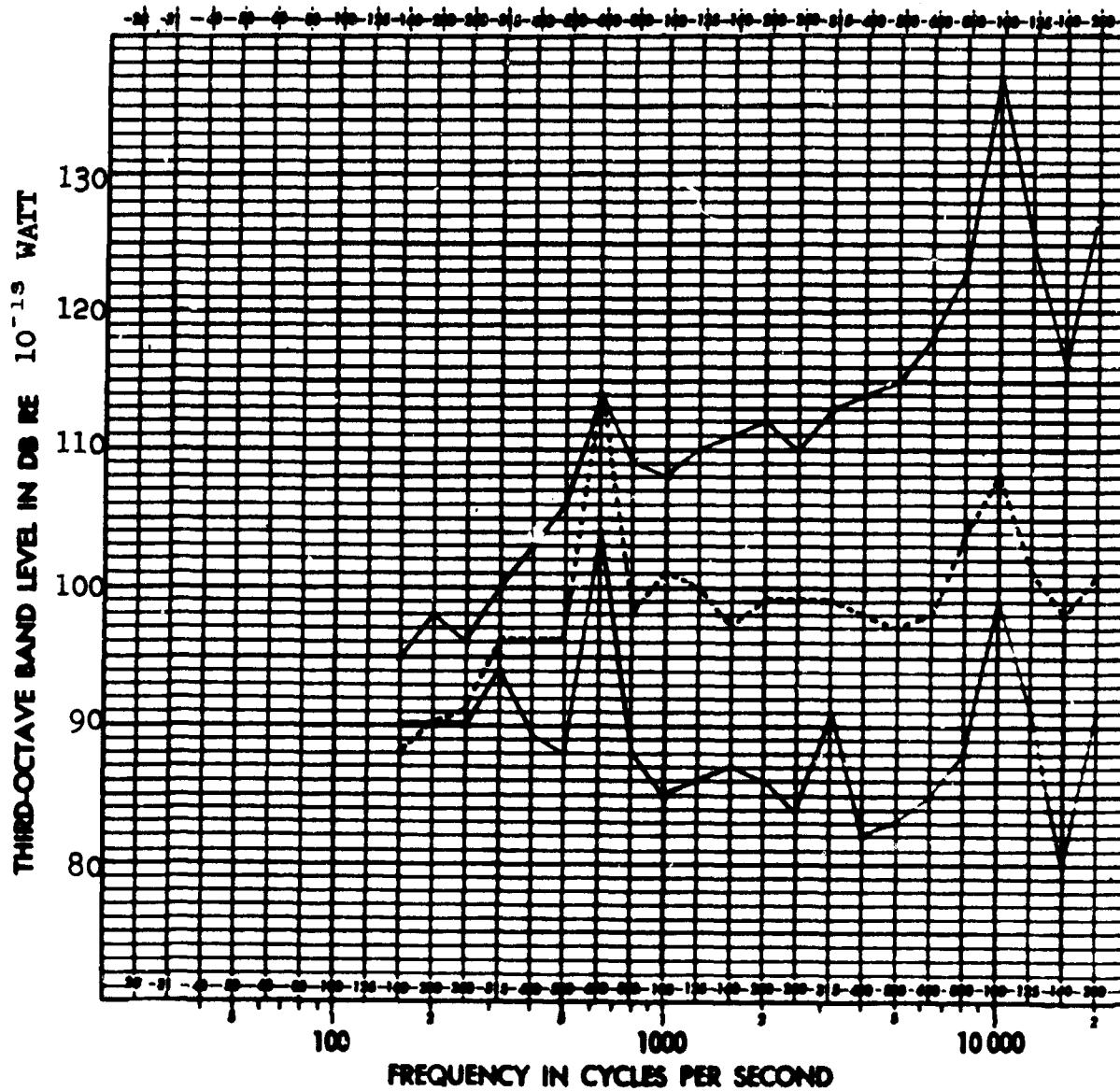
GRAPH 4-7

1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
GTP331-30 ACCESSORY CASE NOISE
NO LOAD CONDITION

EXHAUST NOISE EXCLUDED

Upper	TOTAL POWER BARE ENGINE
_ _ _ _	ACCESSORY CASE (NO OIL COOLER FAN)
Lower	TOTAL POWER ENCLOSED ENGINE

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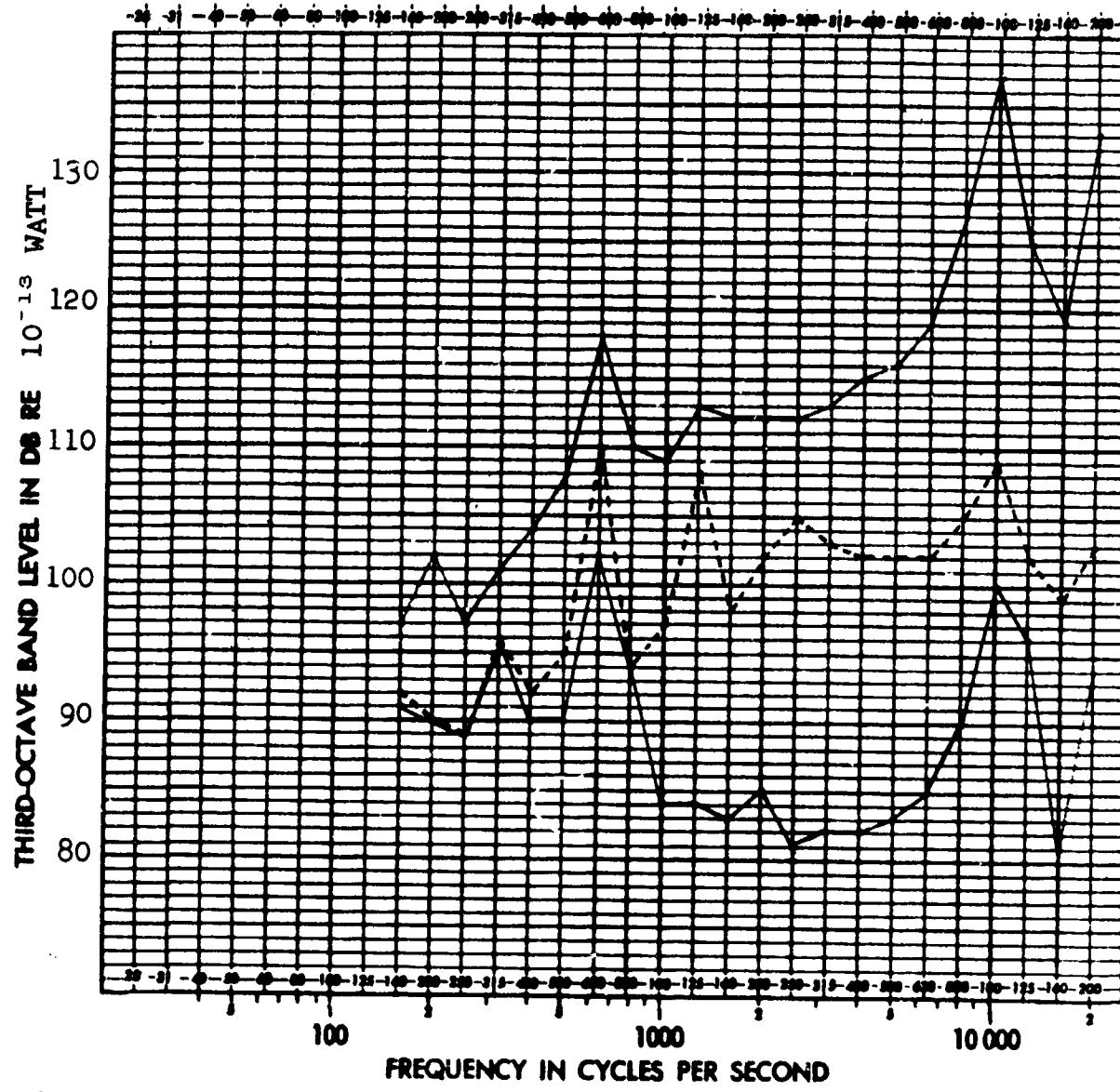
GRAPH 4-8

1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
GTP331-30 ACCESSORY CASE NOISE
FULL LOAD CONDITION

EXHAUST NOISE EXCLUDED

UPPER   TOTAL POWER BARE ENGINE

— — — —   ACCESSORY CASE (NO OIL COOLER FAN)

LOWER   TOTAL POWER OF ENCLOSED ENGINE

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FREQUENCY IN CYCLES PER SECOND

GRAPH 4-9

1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
GTP331-30 ACCESSORY CASE NOISE
NO LOAD CONDITION

ACCESSORY CASE

_____ WITHOUT OIL COOLER FAN
_ _ _ _ _ _ WITH OIL COOLER FAN
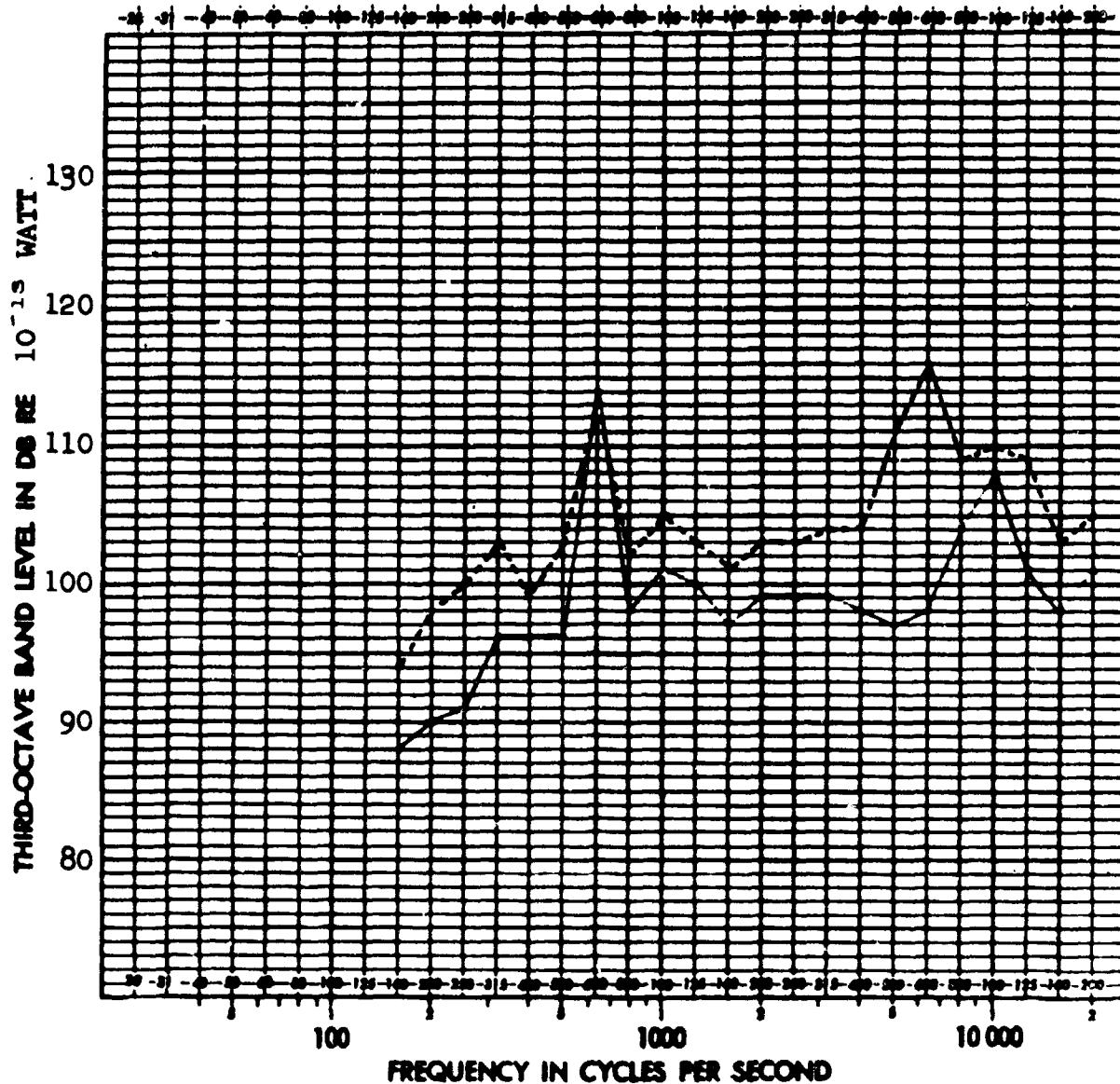
The sound-pressure-level spectrum was measured close to the air inlet and outlet of the fan. Measurements along the sides were negligible compared to the fan noise. By estimating the spherical area at the measuring locations, the acoustic power radiated through the area can then be estimated; Graph 4-10 presents this estimation.

4.4.5 Interpretation of the Acoustic Power Spectra of the Bare Engine

Turbine Section, Graphs 4-3 and 4-4

The acoustic power radiated from the turbine plenum, which is usually the primary source of body radiation, is rated as the second major noise source in relation to the total bare engine. The turbine exhaust noise is excluded in this comparison. The spectrum increases approximately 6 decibels per octave from the 800 cps to the 8,000 cps third-octave band, which is believed due to aerodynamics of the air passages in the engine. The compressor-blade-passage pure tones from the first- and second-stage impellers, which lie within the 10,000 and 12,500 cycle bands, respectively, persist and dominate the overall acoustic power level radiated from the plenum. The noise level below the 800-cycle band is low and somewhat masked due to the limitation of the enclosure.

Compressor Section, Graphs 4-5 and 4-6

The compressor section is the predominant noise source radiating from the bare engine (excluding exhaust noise). The broad-band character of the noise in the mid-frequency range is believed due to air turbulence. The compressor-blade-passage pure-tone fundamental of the first-stage impeller dominates the overall acoustic power level. Its second harmonic is also significant. The turbine shaft-speed component emitted from the compressor section is about equal to that emitted from the bare engine.

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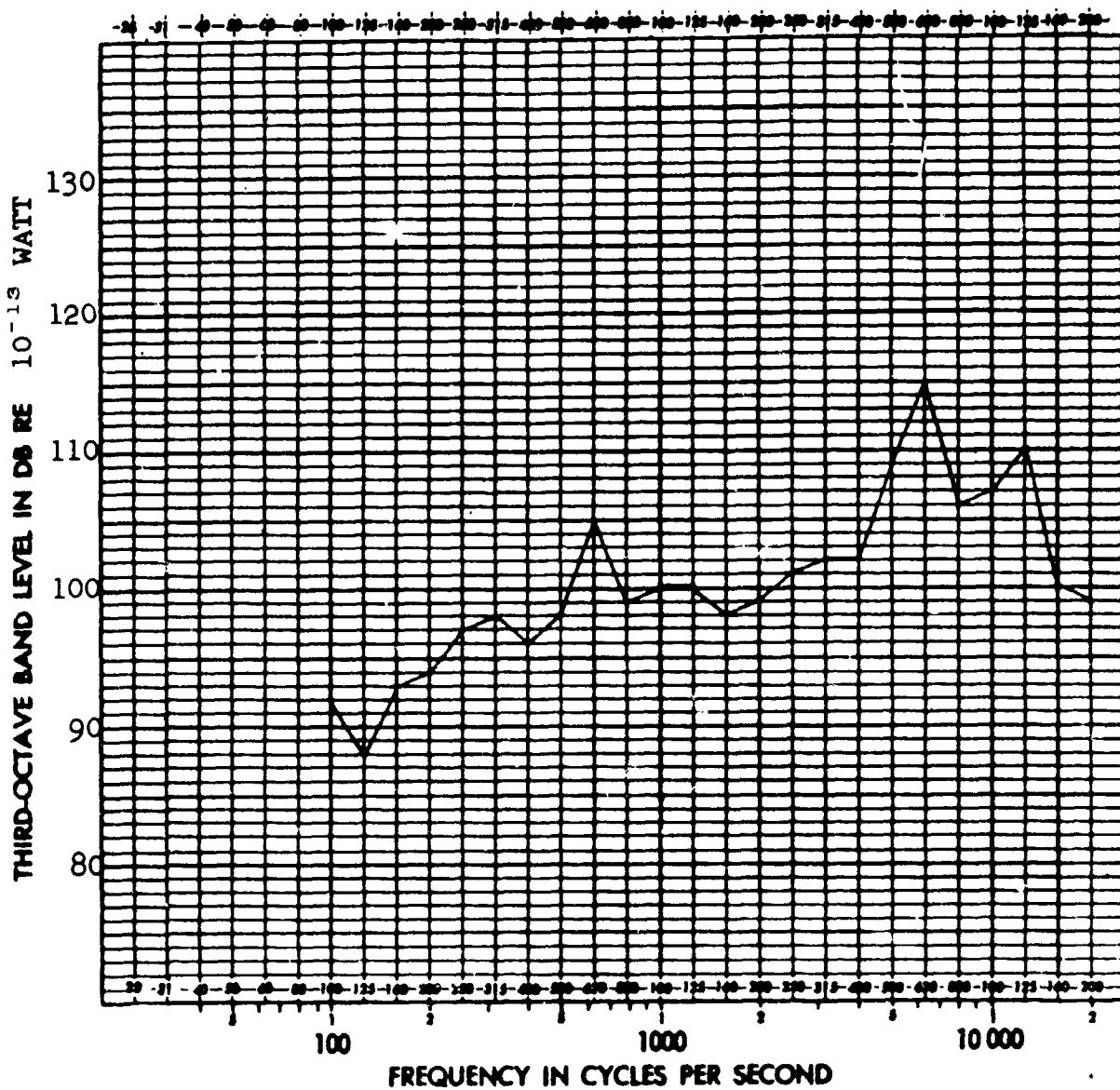
GRAPH 4-10   1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
GTP331-30 OIL COOLER FAN
DETERMINED BY CLOSE-IN MEASUREMENT

Accessory Section, Graphs 4-7, 4-8, 4-9, and 4-10

The acoustic power radiated by the accessory case without the
oil-cooler fan is below that of the compressor inlet and turbine
plenum radiation. As presented in Graphs 4-7 and 4-8, the turbine
shaft-speed component, in the 630-cycle third-octave band is the
predominant peak. At the no-load condition it is equal in magnitude
to that radiated from the bare engine. A second and fourth order of
shaft speed is evident only at the full-load condition (1,250-cycle
and 2,500-cycle third-octave bands, respectively). A peak at the
10,000 cycle band occurs at both load conditions. Section 4.5
identifies this as being composed of the 14th and 15th order
of shaft speed, the 15th order being the compressor first-stage
impeller-blade-passage pure tone. Presented in Graph 4-9 is a compari-
son of the acoustic power radiated from the accessory case at the
no-load condition with and without the oil-cooler fan. The first
order of shaft speed (in the 6,300-cycle band) is the same for
both, but with the oil-cooler fan the remaining spectrum does
increase. The oil-cooler-fan blade-passage pure tone is quite
evident in the 6,300-cycle band. An acoustic power estimation
determined by close-in measurements of the oil-cooler fan is presented
in Graph 4-10. The three peaks shown are the first order of turbine
shaft speed and the oil-cooler-fan blade-passage pure-tone fundamental
and second harmonic, respectively. The fan fundamental is the greatest
in magnitude.

A comparison of the acoustic power level spectra, obtained by
adding the individual power level of the three engine sections to
that of the bare engine, is presented in Graphs 4-11 and 4-12. The
agreement is close enough to give considerable credence to the method
used in separating the three engine sections. A minor discrepancy
occurs at the turbine-shaft-speed component, which is plus 3 decibels
for the summation of the engine sections. Reviewing Graphs 4-5, 4-6, 4-7,

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FREQUENCY IN CYCLES PER SECOND

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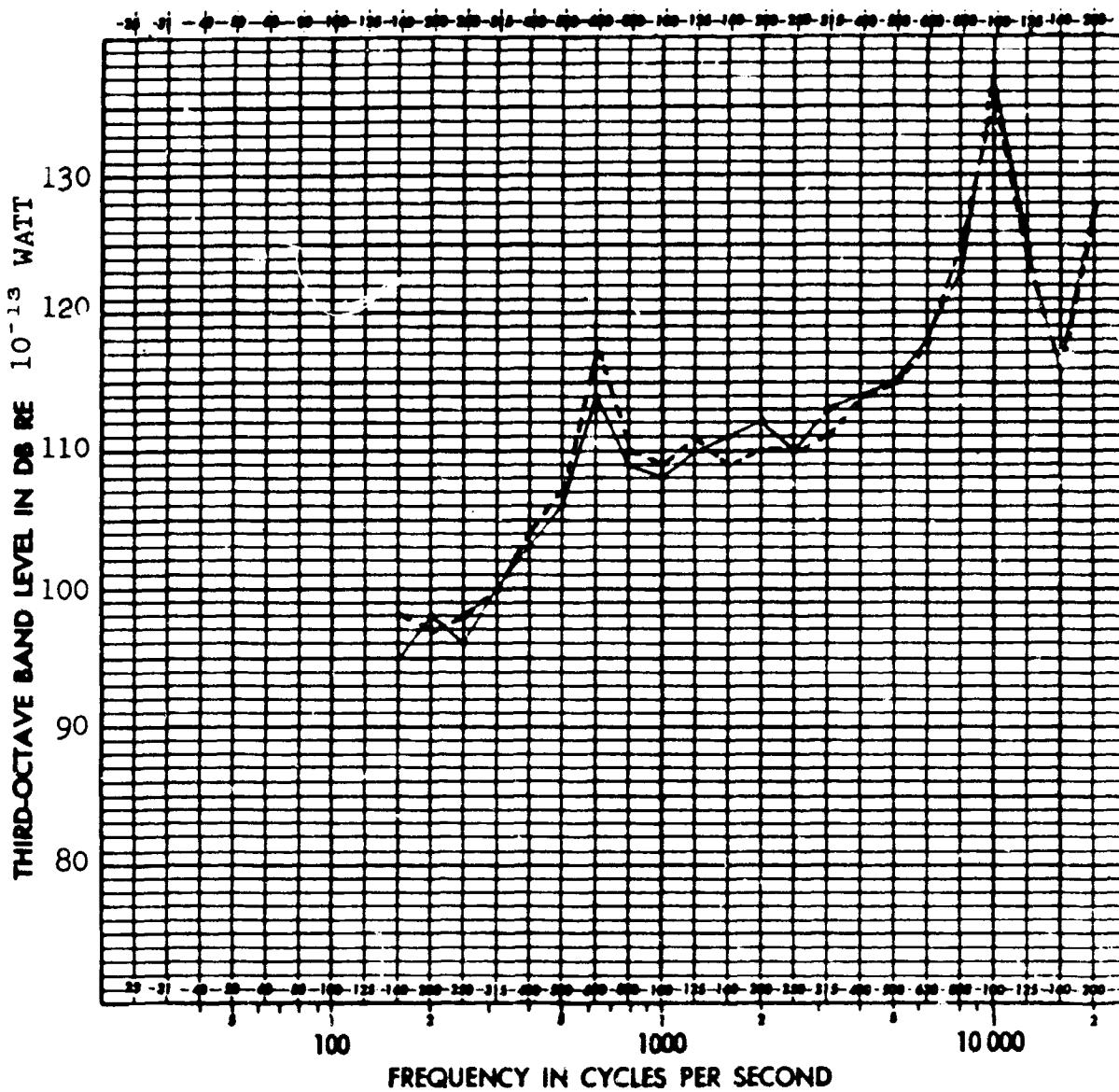
GRAPH 4-11   1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
GTP331-30 BARE ENGINE NOISE
NO LOAD CONDITION

EXHAUST NOISE EXCLUDED

_____ BARE ENGINE (AS MEASURED)

_ _ _ _ _ SUMMATION OF THE TURBINE PLEN
COMPRESSOR INLET AND
ACCESSORY CASE MEASURED
SEPARATELY. (NO OIL COOLER F.)

GRAPH 4-12   1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRA
GTP331-30 BARE ENGINE NOISE
FULL LOAD CONDITION

EXHAUST AND OIL COOLER FAN NOISE
EXCLUDED

_____ BARE ENGINE (AS MEASURED)

_ _ _ _ _ SUMMATION OF THE TURBINE PLENUM,
COMPRESSOR INLET AND ACCESSORY CASE
AS MEASURED SEPARATELY. (NO OIL
COOLER FAN)

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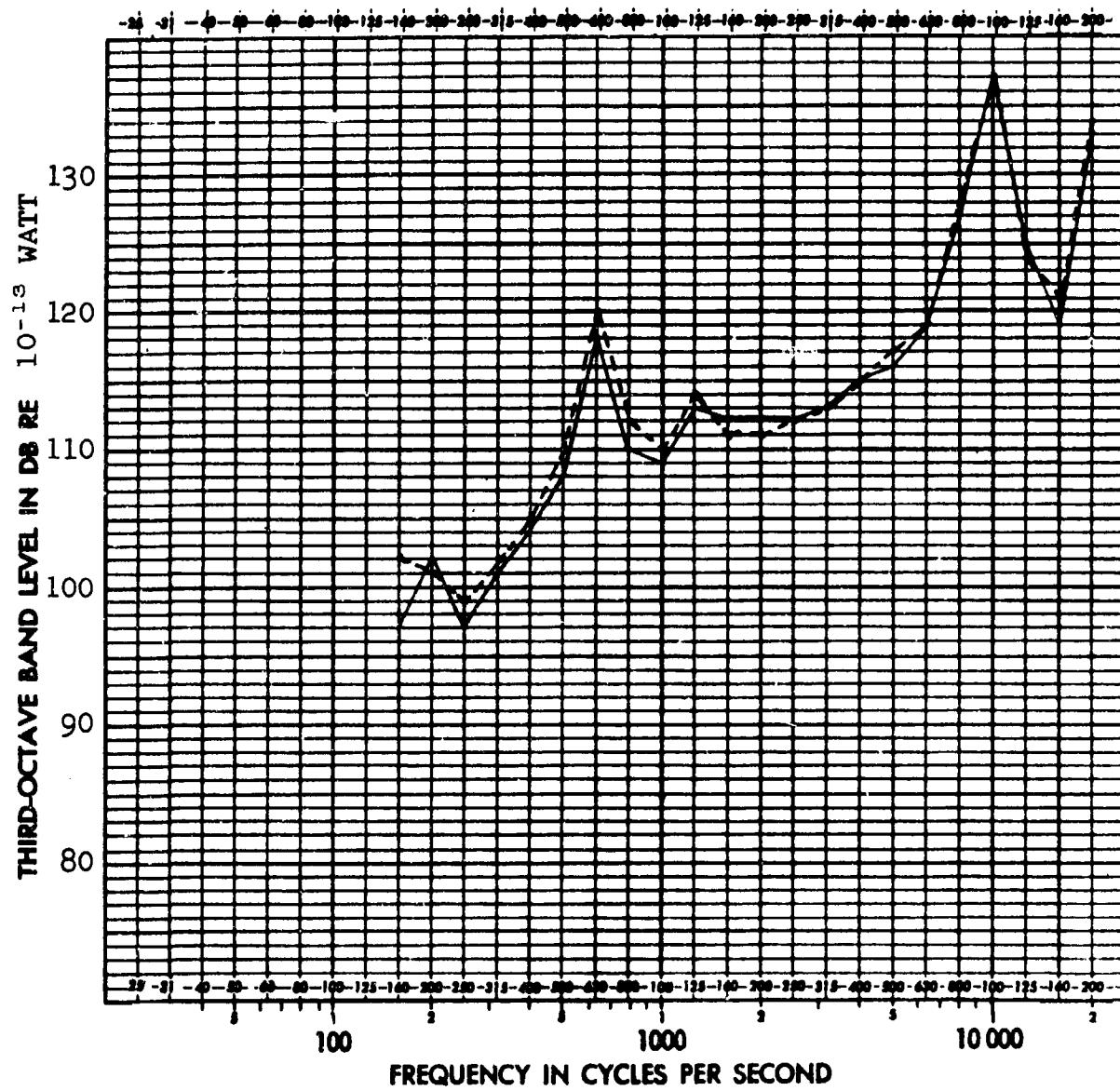
and 4-8 shows the shaft-speed component radiated from the compressor
and accessory sections to be equal in magnitude to that radiated
from the total bare engine. The addition of two equal powers
is a 3-decibel increase. This could indicate that the shaft speed
component is not radiated totally from the compressor or accessory
sections, but is a structurally-borne reradiation from the enclosure.
Although the engine was vibration-isolated at all possible locations,
structural ties could have existed.

Graph 4-13 compares the acoustic power level spectra of the
accessory case with the oil cooler fan, arrived at by two methods.
The solid line presents the acoustic power level as measured
directly by the reverberant method. The broken line shows the
summation of the accessory case and oil cooler fan measured
separately. The former, by the reverberant method, and the latter, by
the close-in method. The agreement is good enough to give credence
to the close-in method used in obtaining the oil-cooler-fan
acoustic power level.

The summation of the total noise radiated from the complete
engine is presented in Graph 4-14. The curves represent the exhaust
noise added to the bare-engine noise.

4.5 Frequency Analyses of the Engine Components

Tape recordings of the direct-near-field (close-in) noise
were made of the turbine and compressor sections. The accessory case
noise, with and without the oil-cooling fan, was recorded in the
reverberant field because of the multitude of sources.

Playback of the recordings were made through a continuous
constant-percentage band-pass frequency analyzer to a graphic level
recorder. The analyses of the three engine sections are presented
in Graphs 4-15 through 4-21. The results are shown on a frequency scale

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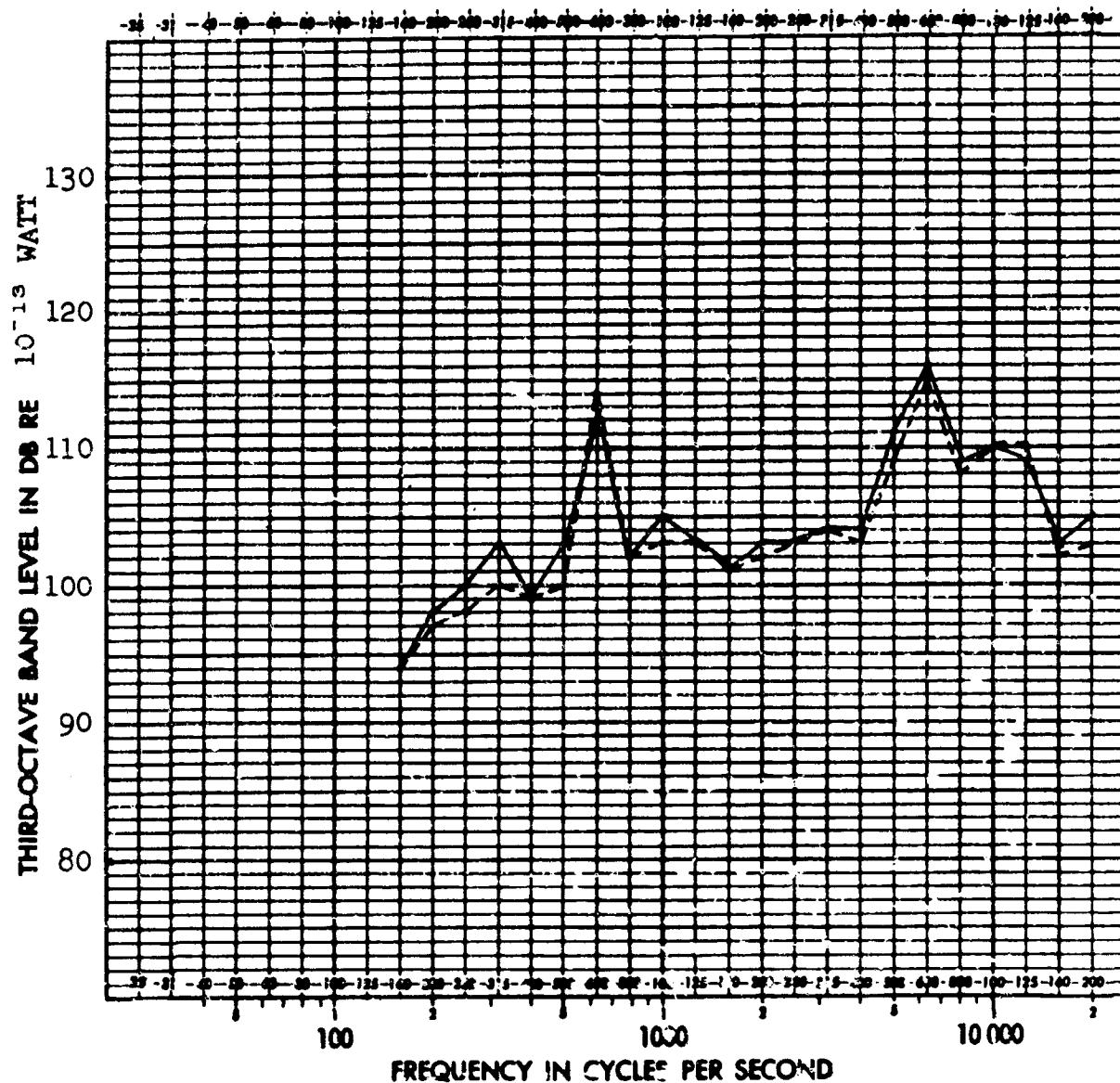
GRAPH 4-13   1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
GTP331-30 ACCESSORY CASE WITH
OIL COOLER FAN
NO LOAD CONDITION

————————— ACCESSORY CASE WITH OIL COOLER
FAN AS MEASURED BY REVERBERANT
METHOD

— — — — — SUMMATION OF THE ACCESSORY CASE
WITHOUT OIL COOLER FAN (BY
REVERBERANT METHOD) AND OIL
COOLER FAN (BY CLOSE-IN METHOD)

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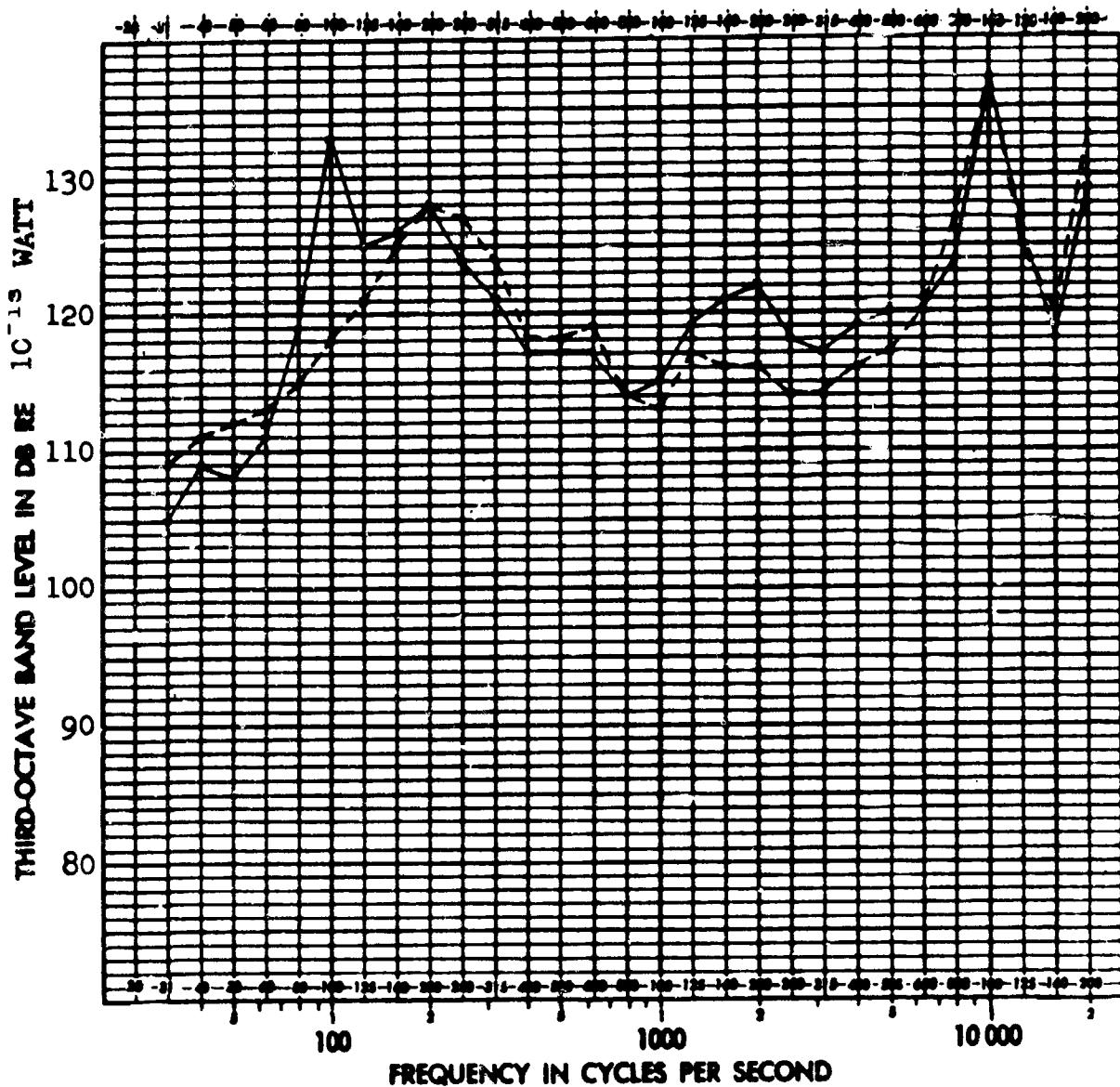
GRAPH 4-14   1/3 OCTAVE BAND SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECTRUM
OF THE TOTAL POWER RADIATED FROM MODEL GTP331-30

INCLUDES   TURBINE EXHAUST WITH STRAIGHT
EXTENSION PLUS REMAINING
BARE ENGINE NOISE

————   NO LOAD

— — — —   FULL LOAD
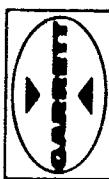
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TURBINE SECTION—NO LOAD—
CLOSE IN SOUND MEASUREMENT

GRAPH 4-15

TURBINE SECTION—FULL LOAD—
CLOSE IN SOUND MEASUREMENT

GRAPH 4-16

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SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL IN DB RE 0.0002 MICROBAR SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL IN DB RE 0.0002 MICROBAR

COMPRESSOR SECTION, NO-LOAD, CLOSE-
IN SOUND MEASUREMENT
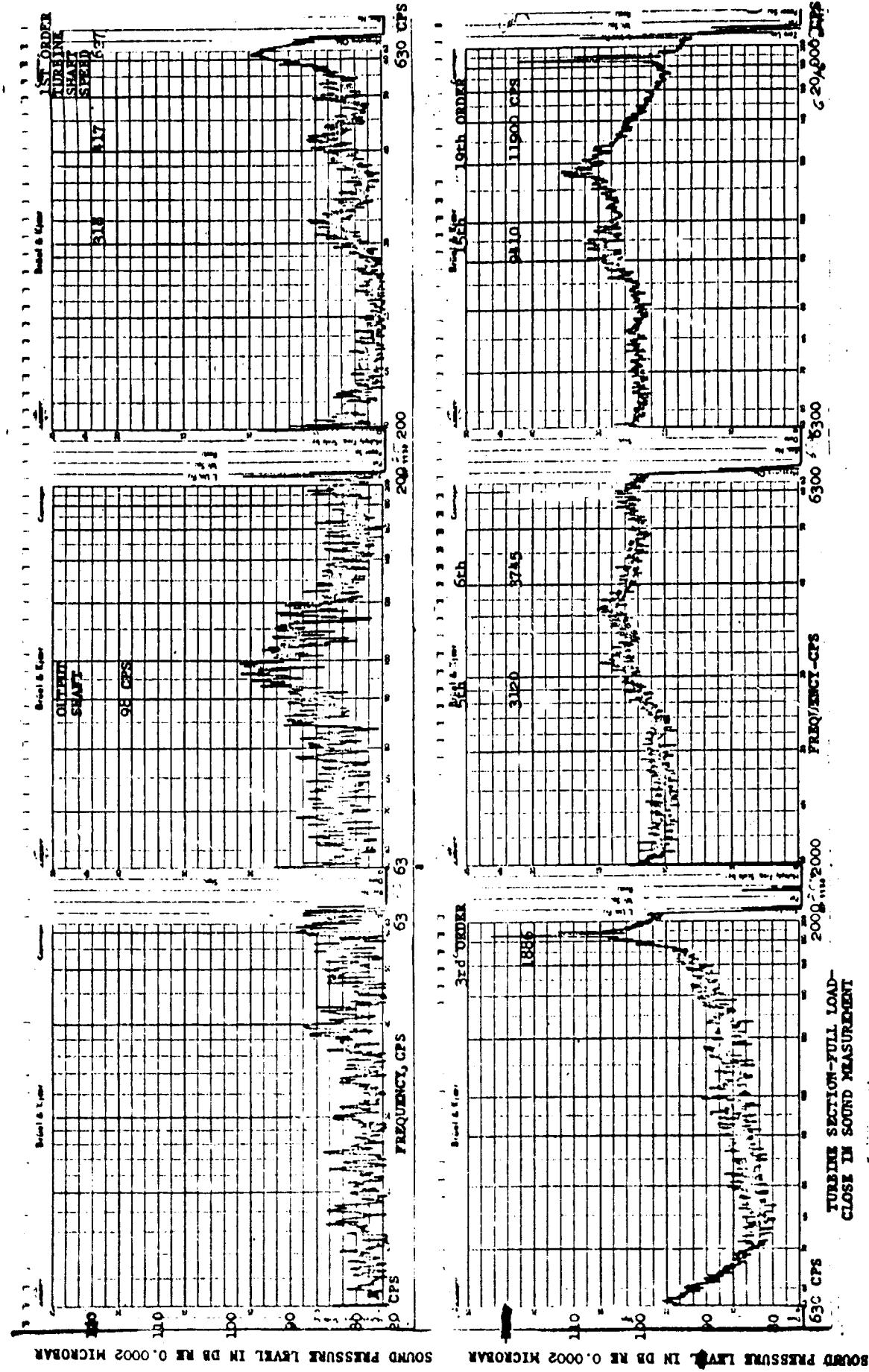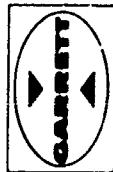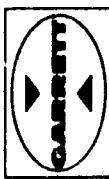
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COMPRESSOR SECTION FULL LOAD
CLOSE-IN SOUND MEASUREMENT

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ACCESSORY SECTION-NO LOAD (WITHOUT
OIL COOLER FAN)
CLOSE IN SOUND MEASUREMENT
GRAPH 4-19
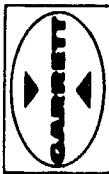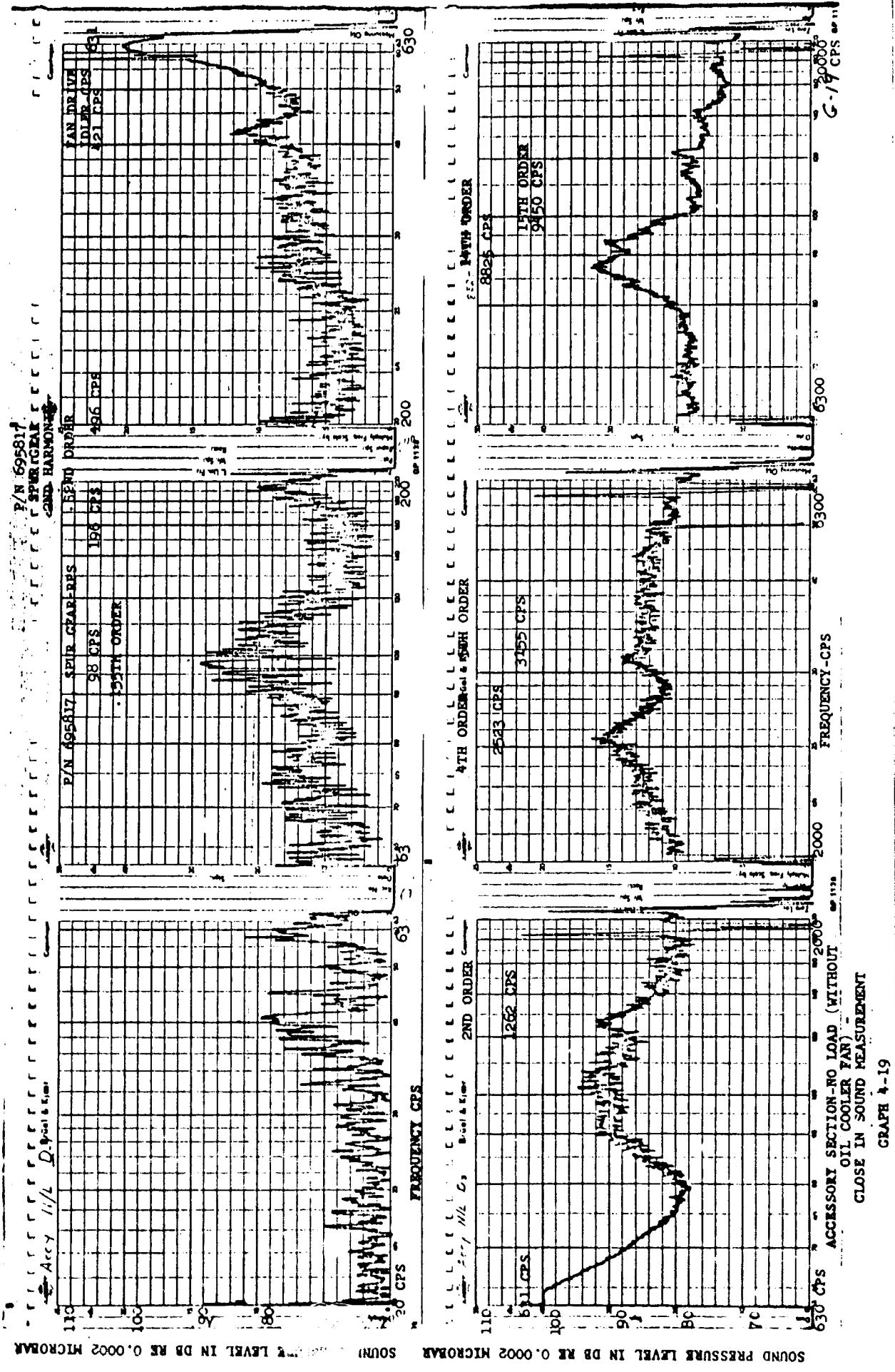
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GRAPH 4-20

ACCESSORY SECTION-FULL LOAD
(WITHOUT OIL COOLER FAN)-
CLOSE-IN SOUND MEASUREMENT

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(WITH OIL COOLER FAN)-REVER-
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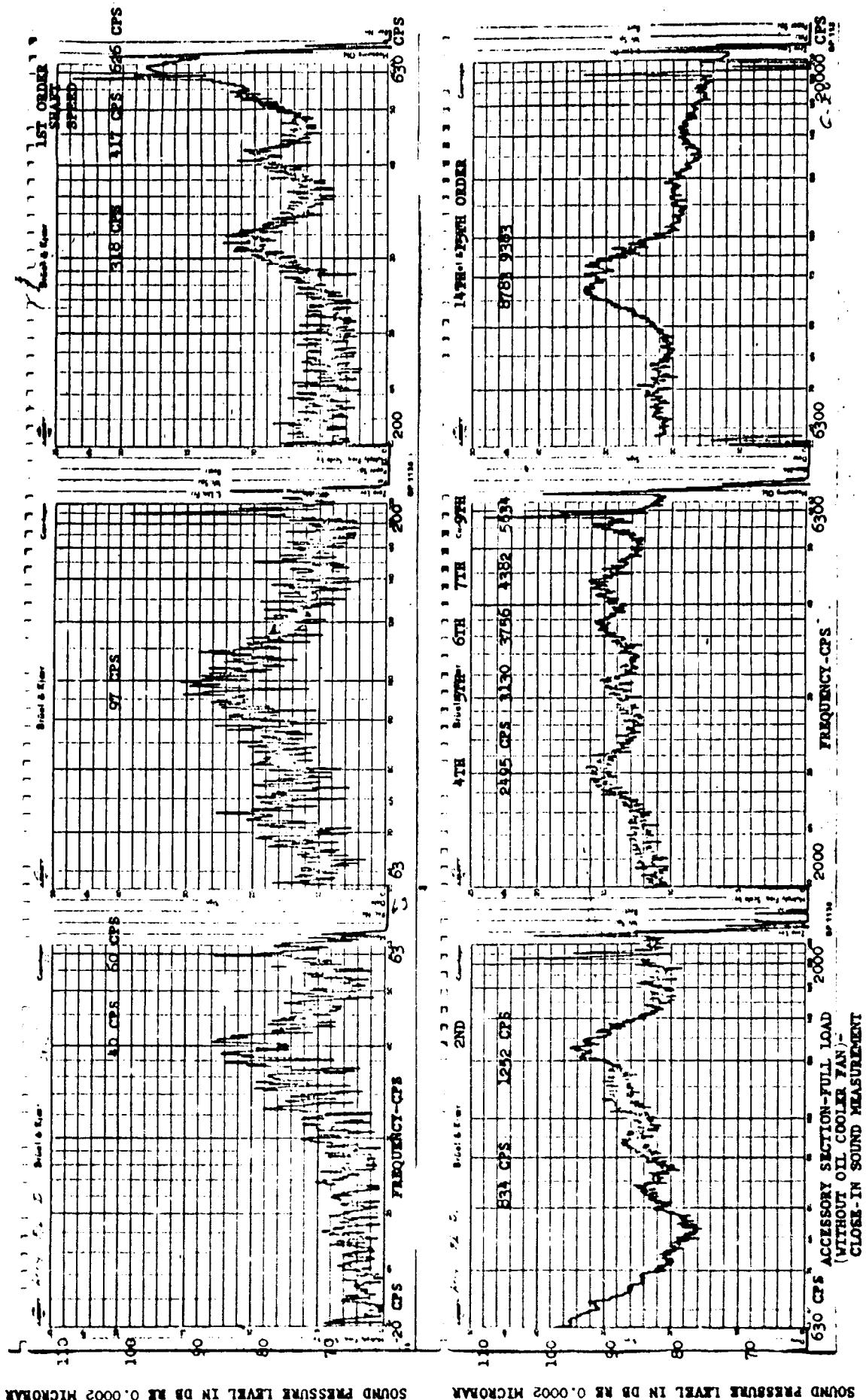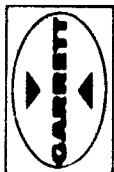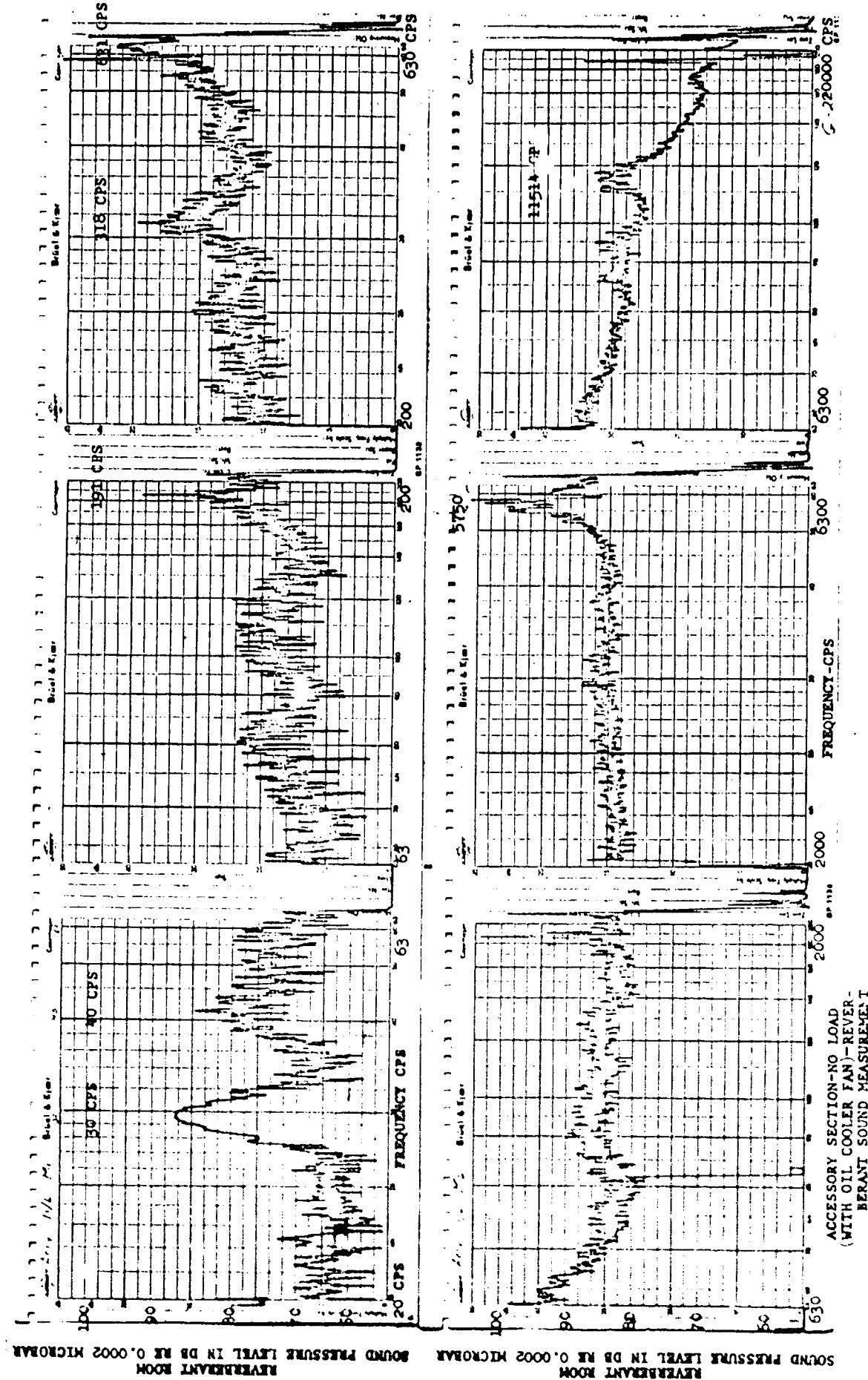
GRAPH 4-21

in cps plotted against amplitude in decibels (uncorrected sound
pressure level). A constant bandwidth of 6 percent was used.
The frequency scale is in steps of 20 to 63 cps, 63 to 200 cps,
200 cps to 630 cps, etc., to 20,000 cps. The component frequency
identification was verified by either an x-y axis Lissajous figure
with one axis of a known frequency, or the z axis modulation of the
Lissajous figure.

4.5.1 Component Summary

To facilitate the frequency identification of the graphs, the
noise-generating components used in the engine are listed below:

Component	Blade Count	Order of Shaft Speed
Compressor and turbine section		
First-stage impeller	15	15
Crossover duct	8	
Second-stage impeller	19	19
Second-stage diffuser	24	
First-stage stator	22	
First-stage turbine	36	36
Second-stage stator	29	
Second-stage turbine	36	36
Third-stage stator	29	
Third-stage turbine	36	36

Accessory Section

Component	Number of Teeth	Gear Speed* (rev/sec.)	Gear Mesh Frequency* (cps)
Bolt-on Gearbox			
Spur pinion	25	630	15,750
Spur gear	161	98	15,750
Accessory Housing			
Bevel pinion	24	630	15,120
Bevel gear	47	322	15,120
Spur	22	322	7,077
Oil-pump gear	101	70	7,077
Fan Assembly			
Idler	54	131	7,077
Drive gear	16	442	7,077

*Calculated at 630 rev per sec. turbine shaft speed.

The oil-cooler fan has 13 blades and rotates at 442 revolutions per second. The fan-blade-passage pure tone is approximately 5,746 cps.

4.5.2 Frequency Analysis

Tabulated below are the frequencies identified for each engine section.

Observed Frequency (cps)		Turbine Shaft	Component
No Load	Full Load	Order Number	
Turbine Section, Graph 4-15 and 4-16			
98	98	0.155	Accessory output speed
	315	0.5	
	417	0.66	
631	627	1.	Turbine shaft
1,893	1,886	3	
	3,120	5	
	3,745	6	
9,470	9,410	15	First-stage impeller blade passage
11,993	11,900	19	Second-stage impeller blade passage
Compressor Section, Graph 4-17 and 4-18			
632	628	1	Turbine shaft
6,318		10	
9,471	9,440	15	First stage impeller blade passage
18,942	18,880	30	Second harmonic of first-stage impeller

Observed Frequency (cps)

No Load	Full Load	Oil-Cooling Fan	Turbine Shaft Order Number	Component
Accessory Section, Graphs 4-18, 4-20, and 4-21				
		30		
	40	40		
98	97			Accessory output speed
196		191		Second harmonic of accessory output
	318	318	0.52	Spur-bevel gear speed
421	417		0.665	
631	626	631	1	Turbine shaft
	834		1.33	Second harmonic of the .665th order
1,262	1,252		2	Second harnomic of turbine shaft
2,523	2,504		4	
3,155	3,128		5	
	3,756		6	
	4,381		7	
	5,632		9	
		5750	9.1	Oil-cooling fan blade passage
8,825	8,783		14	
9,450	9,383		15	
		11514	18.2	Second harmonic of oil-cooling fan

5.0 SOUND AND VIBRATION DAMPING COATINGS

5.1 Groundwork

5.1.1 State of the Art Survey

No greater disservice can be rendered to the sponsors of research effort than to duplicate work already done. To insure against this, the state of the art for damping coatings in the $600^\circ F$ to $2000^\circ F$ range was carefully determined. This effort was divided into three initial phases, as follows:

(a) Fresh contacts by phone and letter with a number of persons and organizations active in the field of vibration-damping coatings. .

(b) A canvass by mail of vendors of coating materials, and vendors of materials possibly usable as coatings.

(c) An intensive search for relevant literature.

These activities were conducted in parallel, since considerable overlap existed. For example, the letter to the vendors asked for literature citations. The literature survey revealed what authors were currently active and, thus, who might be profitably contacted by phone or letter etc.

5.1.1.1 Active Researchers

The results of fresh contacts with recent writers, recognized authorities, and organizations active in the vibration damping field were completely negative insofar as uncovering parallel activity was concerned.

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By the time these contacts were made, the possible value of a suitably experienced consultant had been realized. Each person contacted disclaimed the necessary qualifications, but several mentioned Prof. B. J. Lazan as eminent in a fairly closely related field--the study of damping inherent in structural materials. Discussion of contact with Prof. Lazan is deferred to a later paragraph.

None of the persons contacted would venture serious speculation as to candidate coating materials.

5.1.1.2 Vendor Canvass

As a first step toward a methodical canvass of vendors, a mailing list was drawn from Thomas Register and Aviation Week Buyers Guide. Attention was divided into two broad classes of material--metallic and nonmetallic. In the case of a specific classification, such as "high-temperature coatings," every vendor listed was placed on the list. In the case of a more general classification such as "alloys," only the largest companies were contacted, on the theory that they were likely to have the largest and most generally informed technical staffs.

The compiled list of vendors deemed possible sources of help totaled 580 organizations.

A two-page letter of inquiry was composed, which sketched the nature of the investigation, stated the general physical properties conducive to a good damping coating, and requested product data, literature citations, etc.

Out of 160 answers received, virtually no new data on the damping characteristics of possible coating materials was received. Several respondents mentioned the anomalous damping of manganese-copper alloys and cited Dean's book on Electrolytic Manganese (Ref. 9).

A particularly valuable contribution to the literature search was made by the Beryllium Corporation, which provided a copy of "Mechanical Properties of Engineering Ceramics", by R. Chang. (Ref. 7). This reference is presented in Appendix III.

Some information received lent support to the potential useful-ness of vitreous coatings. Tiltman Langley, Ltd., described an attempt to correct a resonant condition in hot sheet metal with the use of sand-filled porcelain enamel; no data was taken, but "it seemed to work". Another vendor related how aircraft exhaust manifolds produced during the war were found to be no longer subject to fatigue failure of their mounting brackets when vitreous enamel was applied to them to increase their corrosion resistance. Bausch and Lomb pointed to the concept that glasses should be "lossy" in their transition region and mentioned the infinite variety of properties obtainable by compounding glass. Finally, both the O'Hommel Company and the Chicago Vitreous Corporation supplied viscosity data on vitreous enamels at elevated temperatures.

The National Lead Company cited a recent paper in the British publication New Scientist entitled "Silent Metal" (Reference 13). This brief article outlines intensive activity by the Admiralty Research Facility into the damping properties of manganese copper.

The lack of data on what is becoming recognized as a basic engineering property of material, plus widespread lack of under-standing of what damping is, became apparent.

5.1.1.3 Literature Search

Vibration damping is of interest to a wide range of technologies, from acoustics and structural engineering to metallurgy, organic chemistry, physical chemistry, and solid-state physics. As a result, the literature is scattered, and its systematic survey presents a formidable task.

The ideal answer to such a problem is the existence of a good and recent monograph on the subject of interest.

Preliminary scanning of recent literature showed Prof. B. J. Lazan to be a prolific writer on the fundamental aspects of damping. His name was also mentioned by several of the other authorities in the damping field. Contact with Prof. Lazan disclosed that he had just completed such a monograph, which was scheduled for publication late in 1965. He expressed an immediate willingness to provide AiResearch with a copy of the manuscript. This generous action was an invaluable contribution to the success of this project. The monograph is entitled "Damping of Material and Members in Structural Mechanics," and its comprehensive nature is indicated by the fact that in final published form it will fill 600 pages. Special features include a multipally cross-indexed bibliography citing several thousand references extending back to the 18th century. In addition, the monograph presents in graphical form a vast compilation of material damping data.

This survey of literature and data appears to be devoid of reference to damping coatings for operation at elevated temperatures. The compilation of data served the valuable function of eliminating literally thousands of possible candidate materials. It also showed data on the "anomalous" damping of manganese copper alloys.

Because this monograph will be available shortly after the appearance of this report, it was unnecessary to include with this report a massive, parallel bibliography. Instead, the references cited are limited to those having major relevance to the present work, or those encountered that do not appear in Prof. Lazan's bibliography.

Considering the foregoing, vitreous enamels and manganese alloys were tentatively selected for evaluation. In addition, aluminum-alumina cermets were chosen, because their unusually high room temperature damping was a promise of the possibility of good damping at elevated temperature. Once tentative selections were made of the types of material to be tested, then literature covering other properties of these materials became relevant. Fortunately, an excellent and recent monograph was available on the subject of vitreous enamels (Ref. 20). This otherwise comprehensive work did not discuss damping characteristics. The manganese alloys are discussed in great detail in Ref. 9, and considered further in Ref.10, 11, 12, and 14. Behavior of the manganese alloys is little understood in spite of more than 20 years of work principally by the U. S. Bureau of mines. Information concerning the aluminum-alumina cermets is sparse and mostly proprietary in character. Ref. 19 summarizes most of the physical properties and contains a bibliography.

5.1.1.4 Consultants

The bulk of the vibration-damping data to be found in the literature is the result of ad hoc test procedures which generate comparative data only. In many cases it is impossible to deduce from this data the actual properties of the material being tested. The Geiger test is of this sort (Ref. 6). It is not feasible to take the results of a Geiger test and predict the behavior of another system to which the test coating is applied.

It was evident that if more fundamental data were to be obtained, which measured the true damping characteristic of the coating material itself, sophisticated apparatus and data analysis would be required. The need to operate the apparatus over a wide range of temperatures created significant technical problems. Contacts with Prof. Lazan revealed that he had many years of experience in the design and operation of apparatus used for similar measurement of damping in structural material. Much of this apparatus operated at elevated temperatures.

AiResearch acquired Prof. Lazan's services as consultant for this study. His contributions included conceptual design of the apparatus,specifications of data reduction procedures, source-of-error analyses, the screening of candidate materials,and the tentative identification of damping micromechanisms.

5.1.1.5 Analysis

The review of current knowledge reveals that structural damping as an engineering tool is a very new field. Acute space-age problems, such as structural fatigue in critical jet-engine components, have motivated rapid progress in the consideration of internal damping in high-temperature structural materials, including ceramics. The alternate approach of providing the requisite damping in the form of a specialized coating is in widespread use on all kinds of vehicles and appliances in response to pressure from a noise-conscious public, and this is accomplished at ordinary temperatures by the use of specialized organic coatings. This investigation appears to be one of the first attempts to extend the coating approach to elevated-temperature vibration problems by means of inorganic coatings.

Correspondence with producers of inorganic coatings and materials revealed unfamiliarity with structural damping concepts, which manifested itself as a lack of data on internal friction as a material property.

The literature survey and tabulation of data appearing in Professor Lazan's monograph made possible the elimination of a great many candidate materials for test. The literature survey also revealed that understanding of the mechanics of structural damping is in its infancy. Professor Lazan's monograph focuses attention on the lack of an adequate mathematical model to relate stress and strain in the case of complex material behavior. This lack may be an impediment to understanding of fundamental micro-mechanisms, such as those of manganese alloys.

5.1.2 Materials Selection

5.1.2.1 Review of Viscoelasticity

Prior to describing the selection of vibration damping materials, a review is made of the factors involved. The major damping mechanism prevalent in the polymeric and elastomeric materials used in organic damping coatings is called visco-elasticity. All such materials at some sufficiently low tempera-ture exhibit a glassy structure, and upon impact will normally shatter. Their microstructure features large, elongated, and frequently branched molecules linked tightly together by a variety of chemical bonds. In this state, the materials are highly elastic. The molecular arrangement is seldom truly crystalline, in that short range ordering is present, but when considered over dimensions of several molecules an element of disorder is present. This short-range order, long range disorder

is characteristic of polar liquids such as water. When examined
by X-ray diffraction techniques the imperfect ordering produces
diffuse but perceptible diffraction patterns. Such elastomeric
materials do not exhibit a sharply defined melting point but
rather a progressive softening through a definite transition
temperature range. In this range there is a progressive reduction
in the stiffness moduli of the material, caused by the successive
loosening of the various chemical bonds. As the bonds loosen,
relative motion, still partly constrained by the remaining bonds,
becomes possible, which results in internal friction. Associated
with this motion and viscous loss is a characteristic strain
response which lags an abruptly applied stress. The rapidity with
which the material accommodates the stress may be expressed as a
relaxation time. Each type of bond may have a different relaxation
time, which leads to the concept of a relaxation-time spectrum.

As a consequence of these micromechanisms, elastomeric
materials in their transition region exhibit a damping peak of
considerable magnitude. Above the transition region the bonds
are so loosened that the material flows as a liquid, or else
decomposes. Once the liquid state is approached, then, even if
viscous forces predominate, the moduli have become so small that
the total energy dissipation is small. This illustrates an
important fact that was generally overlooked prior to the work
of Oberst--i.e , the energy dissipation per cycle depends on the
product of the loss factor and the stiffness.

Viscoelasticity produces what is called quadratic damping, where the energy loss per cycle is proportional to the square of the maximum stress or strain. For such damping the hysteresis loop associated with vibration cycles is elliptical. The behavior of such materials may be described in terms of their complex modulus, E^*, where

$$E^* = E' + iE'' = E' (1 + i\eta)$$

E' is the stiffness modulus, E'' is the loss modulus, η is the loss factor, and i is $\sqrt{-1}$. E^* is a function of both temperature and frequency, and η may attain values of unity or even greater.

5.1.2.2 Other Damping Mechanisms

Another form of quadratic damping, also associated with a relaxation time spectrum, is termed anelasticity, which occurs in metals at low stress amplitudes. Numerous mechanisms for anelastic damping exist, each associated with a particular relaxation time (see Ref. 15). A typical cause of anelasticity is viscosity at grain boundaries associated with the relative atomic disorder to be found there. Anelasticity seldom leads to values of η greater than 0.01. The location of anelastic damping peaks and their connection with micromechanisms in the material, has been a useful tool for solid-state physicists.

According to Zener (Ref. 15), a less common mechanism accounts for anomalously high damping in the manganese alloys. Manganese itself has a cubic crystal structure; but, when another metal is present, such as copper, the crystal is forced to become slightly tetragonal. Such crystals may form into parallel (twinned) layers which are mirror images. Theory, states that slightly tetragonal crystal

are capable of ready deformation into cubic, or mirror image shape, with associated losses. Chang (Ref. 7) found twinned structures and an apparently associated damping peak in the ceramic, zirconium hydride.

At stress levels approaching the proportionality limit, and above, metals exhibit plastic deformation involving actual slip within grains, which ultimately becomes minute cracks. The associated damping is not quadratic and the hysteresis loops are pointed (nonlinear). Recently, complex expressions, called dislocation theories, have been formulated in connection with the study of fatigue(References 18 and 26). Serious attempts are made to correlate the changing character of the hysteresis loops with the dislocation theory of micromechanisms of fatigue. This fundamentally important use of damping appears handicapped by the lack of mathematical models for nonlinear hysteresis loops.

Lazan (Ref. 2) discusses other damping mechanisms, including dry friction (coulomb damping), anelasticity due to magnetostrictive effects, heat transfer, etc., as well as the pecular damping found in clay, and the nonsymmetrical damping in highly stressed rubber. None of these, however, are directly relevant to this study, except for the possibility that the concepts presented in Section 6.0 may assist in their exploration.

5.1.2.3 Glass

Any inorganic material that behaves in a manner similar to a polymer at some elevated temperature is a prospect for a high-temperature damping coating. Close inspection of the properties of glass reveals a surprising degree of analogy which carries over into the nomenclature of such diverse fields as organic chemistry and the ancient art of glassworking. Plastics have a glassy phase

and exhibit a glassy fracture. The techniques of blowing and
molding glass are strikingly similar to the molding processes for
thermoplastics. The physical chemistry of glass is to some extent
analogous (Ref. 21). The variety of ingredients used in compounding
glass results in the absence of definite molecular or ionic
crystalline structure. Glass exhibits the short-range order and
long-range disorder characteristic of polar liquids when examined
by X-ray. The lack of a sharply defined melting point in glass
is well known and is the basis of glassworking.

5.1.2.4 Metallic Coatings

The damping materials chosen as coatings must have many
desirable properties in combination, including adhesion, corrosion
resistance, etc. Even disregarding these, the list of materials
likely to exhibit the desirable amount of damping is limited.

Figure 5-1, reproduced from Ref. 2, shows that the damping
characteristics of hundreds of metals and alloys are too low to
be useful. Essentially, all materials exhibit very high damping
at very high stress levels. This, however, is a pitfall as this
stress is in the yield region where the fatigue life is short
and, thus, the damping cannot be utilized. The materials worth
exploring are those for which evidence can be found for excep-
tionally high damping at stress levels well below fatigue limits.

One approach that has been explored to a limited extent is
the coating of structural metals with softer, more ductile metals.
The American Rolling Mills Company mentioned the usefulness of
copper-clad iron in this regard, but were unable to provide data.
Stainless steel, "Duranel," and alloy aluminums are commercially

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RATIO OF REVERSED STRESS AMPLITUDE σ_a TO FATIGUE STRENGTH σ_f

FIGURE 5-1

IDEALIZED DAMPING RELATIONS AND VALUES FOR DIFFERENT CATEGORIES OF MATERIALS.
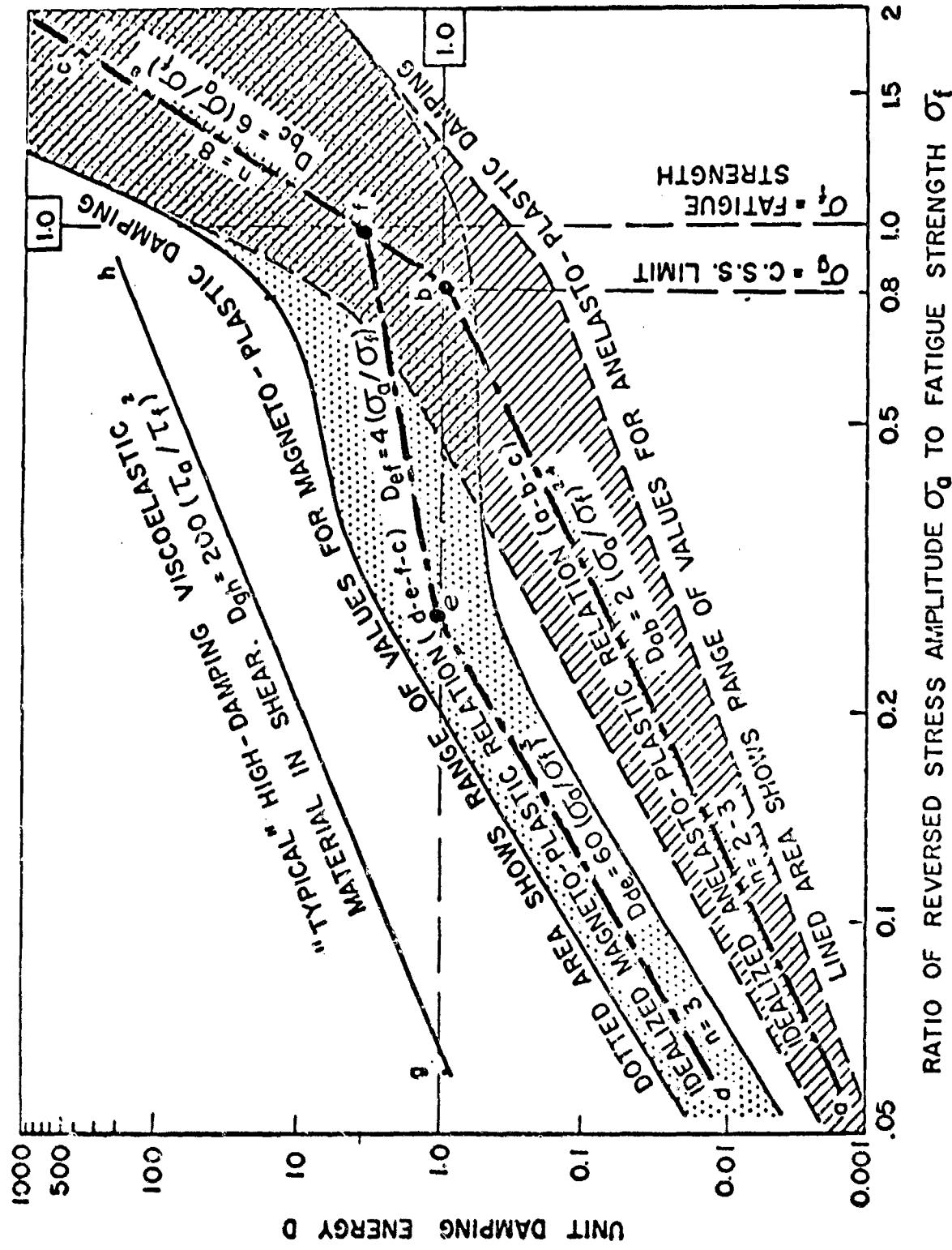
available clad with soft, relatively pure aluminum. Figure 5-2
shows data on these Alclad materials, from the Aluminum Company of
America; but, neither elevated-temperature data nor fatigue-life
data were available. The cladding approach is criticized by some
metallurgists on the grounds that a fatigue crack in the soft
cladding metal would then produce a stress concentration in the
basic sheet, which could, under some circumstances, lead to a
net reduction in fatigue life. This problem is complicated by
the fact that most fatigue-life data is taken under conditions
of constant displacement. In actual applications, however, the
input in likely to be analogous to a constant driving force at
resonance. The extent to which a given increase in damping might
compensate a decrease in conventional fatigue life, by reducing
the amplitude, could be solved only for particular conditions,
perhaps with a computer program.

The best damping capabilities for clad materials, or pure
metals used to coat them (copper, aluminum, etc.), do not approach
those exhibited by the organic viscoelastic coatings. Therefore,
to attain similar effectiveness, the search is narrowed to those
few materials exhibiting truly anomalous damping.

5.1.2.5 Manganese Alloys

Among the metals, manganese alloys occupy a unique position on
the scale of damping (see Figure 5-3). At room temperature these
metals are conspicuously "dead," but in spite of this deadness,
they are strong enough to make good springs. The anomalous
damping does not seem to depend critically on the composition of
a particular alloy, but appears to be a property present in any
high-manganese alloy. A number of high-manganese alloys were
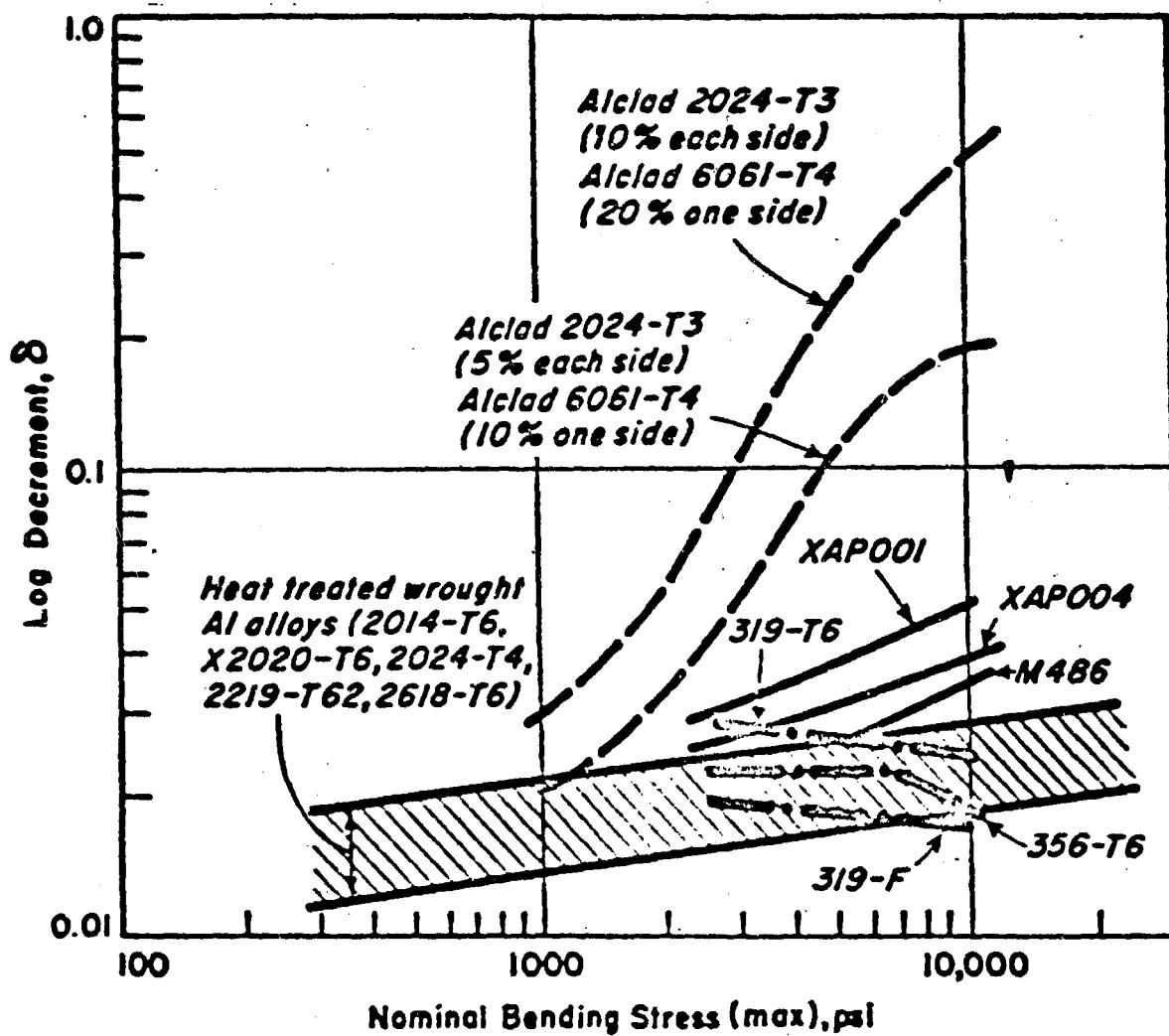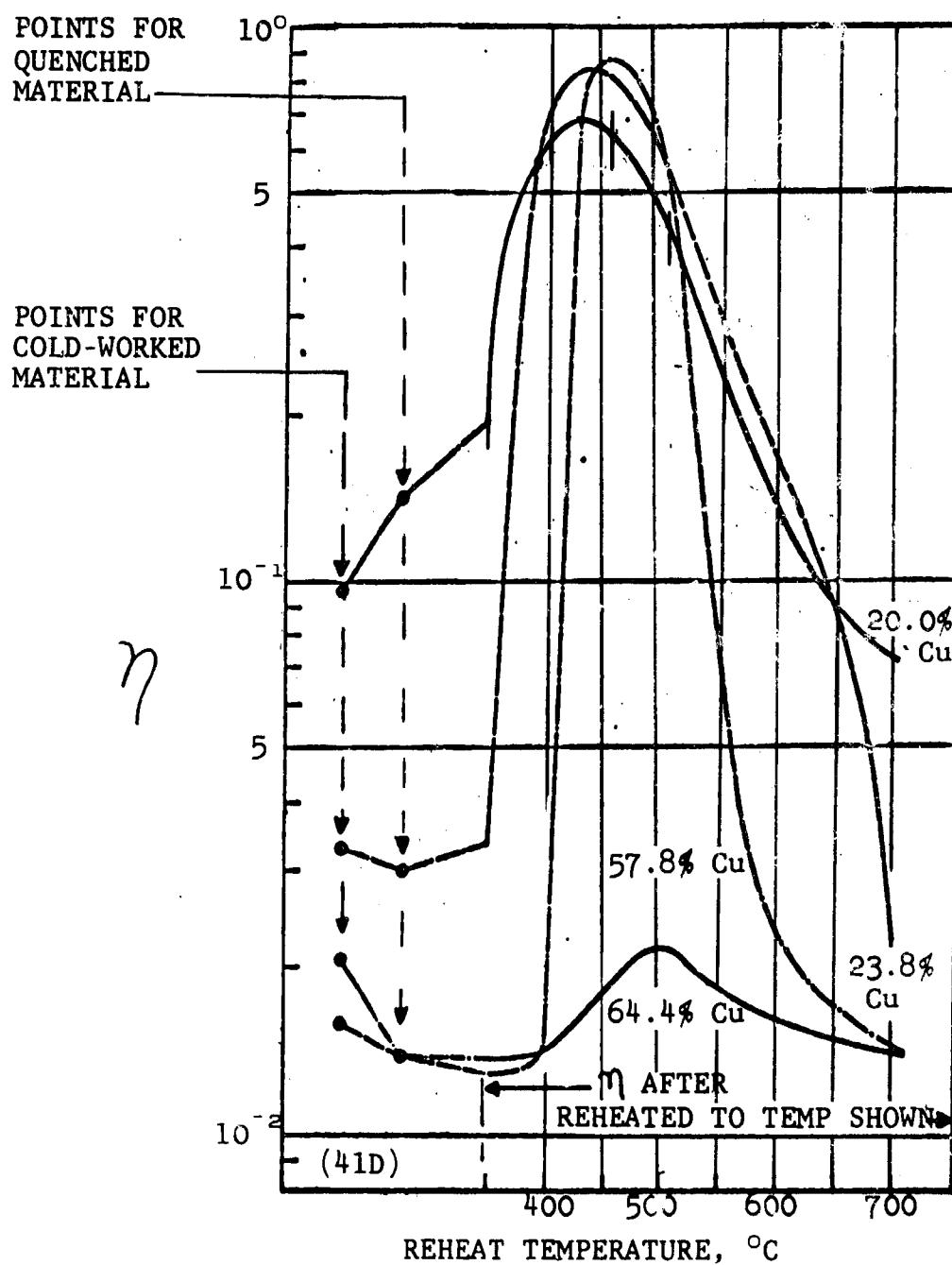
FIGURE 5-2

FIGURE 5·3   MANGANESE ALLOYS (COLD WORKED)

patented in 1941 (Refs. 9, 10, 11, and 12), exhibiting high damping,
which were recommended for such applications as "silent" gears
for automobiles and "acoustical panels." The alloys later became
of interest to solid-state physicists studying anelasticity.
In particular, the metal was studied by Zener (Ref. 15), who built
a theory to explain the anomalous damping, which has been disputed
by others. Perhaps because the micromechanism is controversial,
Lazan simply states (Ref. 2) that the reasons for the damping are
"unknown." Although large amounts of manganese are used in both
the steel industry (as a deoxidizer) and in the brass industry (as
a cheap hardener), the high-manganese alloys themselves have as
yet found little application except as components in bimetal strips
(due to an exceptional coefficient of thermal expansion).

Interest in the almost forgotten damping chracteristics seems
to be reviving, as there has been recent research in damping of
manganese alloys (References 13 and 14). Three high manganese
alloys, described in detail in Section 5.6, available from the
Chicago Development Company, were considered representative of the
manganese alloys, and were selected as candidate materials for
testing.

5.1.2.6 Aluminum Alloys

About 15 years ago, a peculiar group of aluminum alloys,
called SAP alloys (XAP alloys by their American licensee, the
Aluminum Company of America) were developed in Switzerland.
Aluminum powder is ball-milled into very thin platelets and then
oxidized until each particle is covered with aluminum oxide up to
14 percent by weight. The powder is then compacted in extrusion
presses and forged or rolled to various shapes. These alloys
are more truly cermets than metals, due to their large content of

alumina, and possess superior physical properties at elevated
temperatures compared to normal aluminum alloys. Their corrosion
resistance and fatigue life are claimed to be excellent. Their
room-temperature damping is conspicuously large compared to soft
aluminum. Figure 5-4 presents recordings of the exponential decay
of cantilever beams made at AiResearch. They compare a normal
aluminum alloy and an XAP alloy. Alcoa was unable to provide
data on the damping of these alloys above room temperature. They
do, however, provide data on the static stress-strain curves and
yield points at elevated temperatures (Figure 5-5). The non-
linearity of the static stress-vs-strain curves in the region
below the yield point suggests, but does not guarantee, that the
damping at elevated temperatures might increase rapidly.

Past inquiries made to the Aluminum Swiss Company of Zurich,
Switzerland, to High Duty Alloys , Slough, England, and to the
Aluminum Company of America as to the cause or micromechanism of
the damping obtained no satisfactory answers. These organizations
apparently did not realize the usefulness of its damping for
structural applications. Thus, as in the case of the manganese
alloys, the micromechanism of the anomalous damping of XAP
aluminum alloys is unknown.

5.1.2.7 Application of Coatings

Both the manganese alloys and the XAP aluminum alloys required
study for application as coatings, as none of the vendors had
experience to use as a guide. Preliminary tests, indicated that
the manganese alloys could be applied with the aid of flame-
spraying guns, and the manganese alloys were available as wire,
suitable for insertion in the guns. The XAP alloys were available
only as bar stock, which was machined for use in the flame-spray
gun.

1.0"/IN.
REF 4.0"

6061T6 ALUMINUM
500 MICRONS AMBIENT PRESSURE
PAPER SPEED = 4.0"/SEC.

1.0"/IN.
REF 4.0"

281526 ALUMINUM
500 MICRONS AMBIENT PRESSURE
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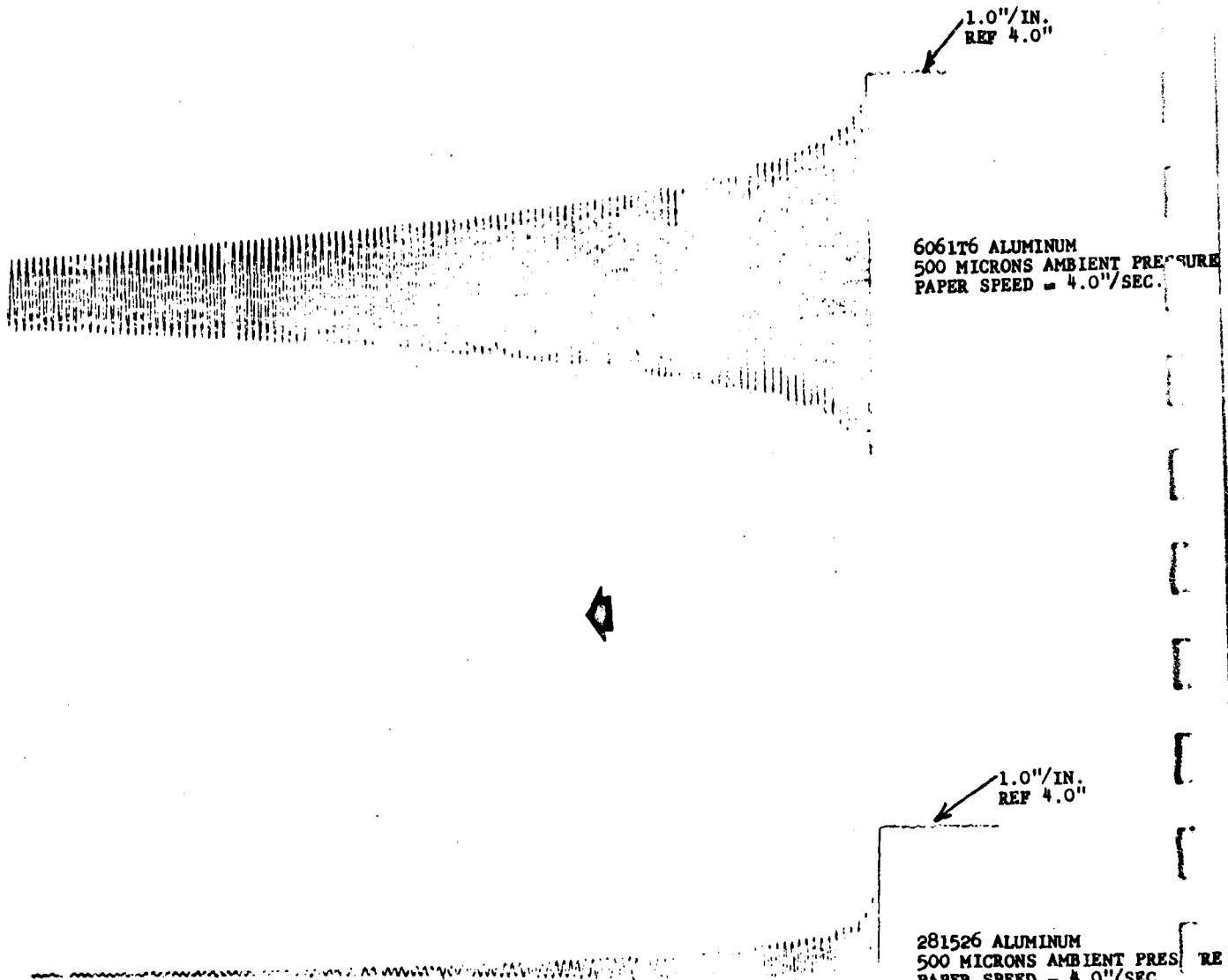
DECAY RATE OF CANTILEVER BEAMS

FIGURE 5-4

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TENSILE STRESS—STRAIN CURVES
FOR ALLOY XAP004
AT ELEVATED TEMPERATURES

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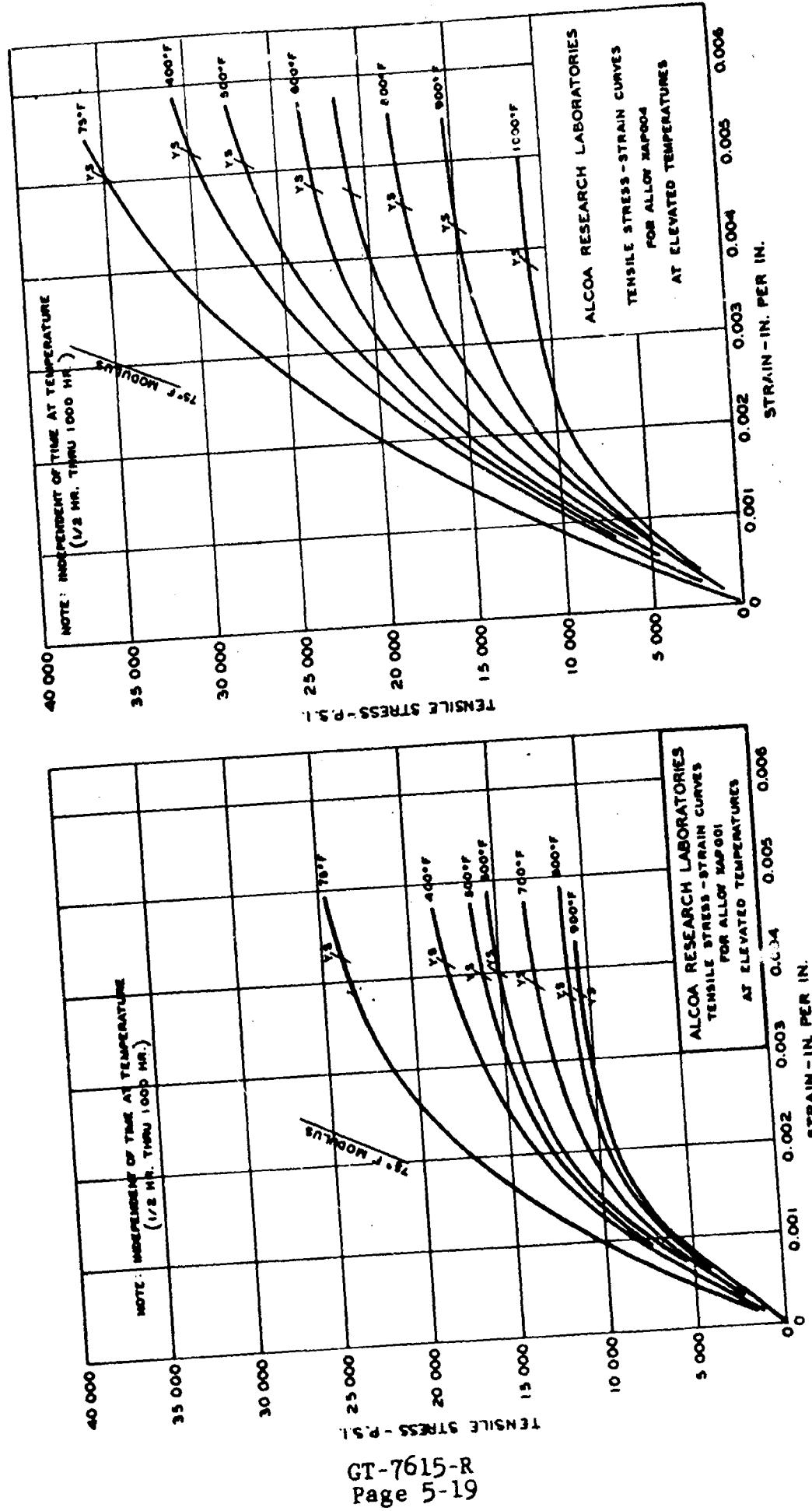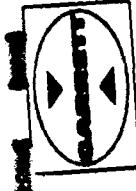
FIGURE 5-5

The high-manganese alloys and the XAP aluminum alloys were
selected as candidate materials for testing because they were
the most likely to be successful as simple, free-surface coatings.
Other metals and alloys when used as simple coatings were con-
sidered less able to produce satisfactory damping. This does
not mean that this test program was comprehensive enough to cover
all possibilities; in particular, the field of constrained-layer
damping, as contrasted to free-layer damping. Adhesives of organic
viscoelastic nature are available which are capable of large
displacements in shear without rupture. When such adhesives are
used to bond metallic foils to the structure to be damped, the
presence of the metal foil induces large shear loads in the
adhesive. This mechanism is called constrained-layer damping and
is extensively used in aircraft, where it has proved to be
particularly efficient on a damping-vs-weight basis (References
16, 17, and 30). Similar mechanisms can be imagined for use at
elevated temperatures. For example, stainless-steel foils could
be sweat-brazed or silver-soldered to the structure to be damped.
Such a structure might have the advantage of a foil layer to pro-
tect the brazing alloy or solder against its environment.
However, it is not likely that brazes or solders can be readily
found that are as capable as organic adhesives of deformation in
shear without rupture. Such laminated structures are also inherently
more expensive than free coatings. Their serious exploration has
therefore been deferred in favor of free coatings.

5.1.2.8 Nonmetallic Coatings

Numerous nonmetallic coatings have been developed to impart
a variety of properties to the surfaces of sheet metal or other
structural elements. Recently, many new refractory coatings have

been developed, some of which will withstand long term exposures
of several thousand degrees. Reference 7 suggests that some of
the materials used for the very-high-temperature refractory
coatings may well have a useful damping temperature range, but
well above that for which our measurement apparatus is designed.
None of the producers of these refractory coatings could provide
data on which to base an estimate of potential damping properties
or the temperature at which they might occur. Ceramic-type
refractory coatings were not included in the materials chosen
for test because of the likelihood that any useful damping would
lie above the 2000°F temperature range.

The vitreous enamels, on the other hand, are readily avail-
ablve. and are tailored to a wide variety of requirements and
operating environments over a wide temperature range. Vitreous
enamels have been developed to have such a low melting temperature
that they may be applied to aluminum sheets. At the other extreme,
vitreous enamels are available that are des'gned for operation
near 2000°F and, thus, approach the operating range of refractory
ceramic coatings. By definition, a vitreous material is not a
true solid, but is more like an enormously viscous liquid. At
some elevated temperature, perhaps just approaching that at
which "softening" begins to be preceptible. a vitreous material
might exhibit viscoelastic properties. The attractive possibility
emerged that perhaps well-known corrosion-resistant coatings are
useful dampers when properly chosen.

Four vitreous coatings were selected as candidate materials
for test. The first (Type A) is an adaptation of the type used
on aluminum. The object was to explore the possibility of over-
lapping the temperature range of 500°F to 600°F, just atainable
with the most exotic organic materials. Two medium-temperature
materials (Types B and Bb) were selected, based on the frits
for which viscosity data was available, in the hope of finding
correlation with the viscosity data. The Chicago Vitreous
Corporation supplied viscosity-vs-temperature data on several basic
vitreous coatings (frits) which included viscosities up to the
unusually high value of 10^{14} poise (Ref. 25). Finally, one
high-temperature (Type C) vitreous coating was chosen, which is
commonly used on such items as combustor tubes to resist corrosion
up to about 1800°F.

A material advertised as a high-temperature protective coating,
which can be applied with a brush, was also selected for testing,
principally out of curiosity. This coating, called Sperex VHT,
manufactured by the Sperex Company, was of unknown composition,
and no predictions were made as to damping mechanisms that might
be present. It should be emphasized that no damping claims were
made by the Sperex Company for this material. Sperex VHT was
selected for testing to show that most high-temperature coatings
are not likely to have unrecognized damping properties. Further,
it was intended to show that great care must be used in the
selection of damping coatings, because useful damping is a rare
property.

This completed the basic selection of coatings for detailed
testing.

5.1.3 <u>Tuning Fork Test</u>

During preliminary consideration of the test methods, a simple turning-fork design for test specimens was tried. The active parts of several of the tuning forks were coated by metal-spraying techniques with the following coatings:

(a) Metco 404 nickel aluminide

(b) Spraybond pure Mo

(c) Cu-Mn alloys two compositions

(d) Metco 15 and 16 brazing alloy powders (hard facing)

The shank of each tuning-fork test specimen was held firmly in a vice, and a microphone was placed near the prongs. The specimen then was struck, and the tone, or output, was received by the microphone, amplified, and indicated on a strip chart recorder. Thus, the output was recorded versus time, which enabled determination of the relative decay rates of the test specimens.

The results of coated samples then were compared with the results of uncoated specimens. In general, coatings improved the relative damping characteristics of the fork, with Metco 404 and one composition of the Cu-Mn alloy showing the best damping. This testing was not pursued further, however, when the more sophisticated flexure test device was made available.

5.2 Test Apparatus

5.2.1 Introduction

Previous discussion has pointed out that little, if any, work has been performed in the measurement of the high-temperature damping properties of coatings at temperatures above 600°F. As a result, apparatus for the testing needed to support this study had to be conceived and designed without the benefit of previous experience. This apparatus had to operate successfully throughout a temperature range from room temperature to 2000°F. The consultant, Prof. Lazan, retained to assist in material selection, was able to provide a design for test apparatus based on his work in investigating inherent damping in structural materials. The design was found to be satisfactory for use in this study; detail drawings were developed, and fabrication and procurement of the components was undertaken.

5.2.2 Apparatus Design

To avoid geometry changes due to differences in thermal expansion, it was necessary to use the same material for all areas of the apparatus subjected to high temperatures. Many materials were considered, and Hastelloy X was chosen because of its strength at high temperatures and resistance to scaling in an oxidizing atmosphere (the need for accessibility to the apparatus prevented use of inert atmospheres). See Figures 5-6 and 5-7.
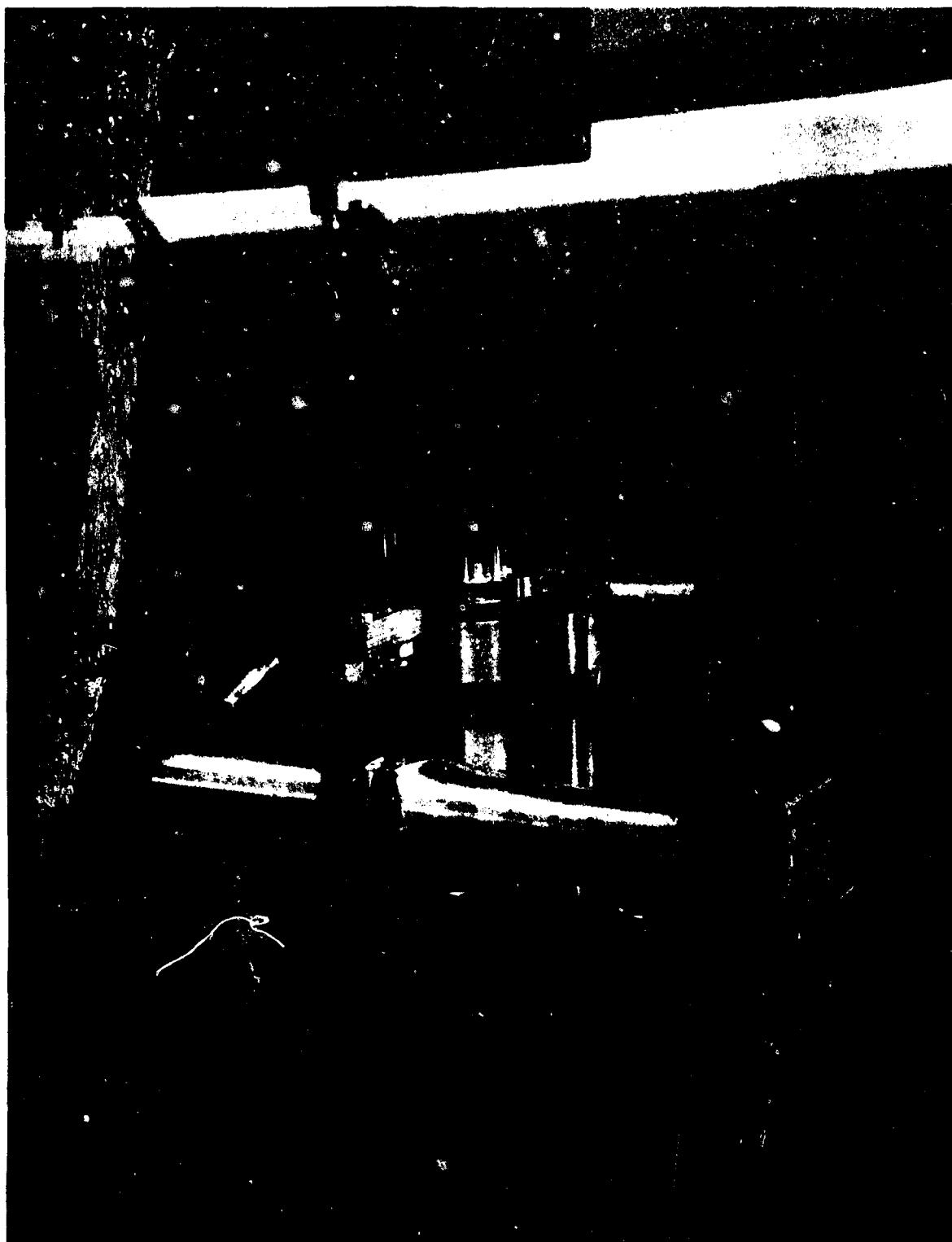
FIGURE 5-6

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ERDL HIGH TEMPERATURE VIBRATION DAMPING TEST APPARATUS
INSTRUMENTATED FOR TEMPERATURE SURVEY

FIGURE 5-7

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TEST INSTRUMENTATION

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5.2.2.1 Test Fixture Mounting

Support of the fixture was a critical consideration because
of its effect on the dynamic characteristics of the overall system.
Since the sensitivity of the system depends upon how its vibration
energy is coupled to the support structure, several methods of
suspension were analyzed. A soft spring mounting was not considered
practical because it would allow excessive deflection. Total
weight of the apparatus and its base plate was 84 lbs. It was
decided to try a massive rigid support so that momentum inter-
change would be negligible. The support was a 55-gallon drum
filled with concrete, which has a 24-in. x 26-in. x 2-in. steel
plate firmly attached to both the concrete and the drum with epoxy
adhesive. The upper (working) surface of the plate was ground to
provide uniform contact with the ground surface of the test-fixture
base. The weight of the support was approximately 1,400 pounds.
To confirm the need for this type of mounting, tests of vibration
decay rates with other support systems were made. When the fixture
was placed on a lab work bench, the decay rate was 3 db per second;
when located on floor-mounted bed plate, the decay rate for the
fixture was 0.96 db per second. Addition of tie bolts between the
fixture and the bed plate did not alter the decay rate. Since a low
vibration decay rate was desired, to enable the detection of
differences of effect between damping coatings, the need was con-
firmed for a massive support for the test apparatus. No tie-down
bolts were used between the support and the apparatus, as the
cohesive bond between the two ground surfaces was considered
adequate retention.

5.2.2.2 1020 Steel Apparatus

Prior to building the Hastelloy X apparatus it was decided
that a large portion of the preliminary (low-temperature) work
could be performed on apparatus made from SAE 1020 steel before
final selection of the materials for the high-temperature tests.
Thus, if any design shortcomings were revealed in initial testing,
the parts could be revised, evaluated in steel, and then incor-
porated into the Hastelloy apparatus. Only those parts subjected
to high temperatures were involved in the 1020-steel/Hastelloy-X
evaluation.

5.2.2.3 Specimen Stress Analysis

Concern arose about the stress distribution across the test
specimen (herein called a flexure) as it was deflected. It was
desired to have uniform stresses across the coatings--hence,
across the flexure. Strain gauges were applied to the 1020 steel
flexure, and the stress was found to be nearly 25 percent higher
at the supported end of the test section than at the free end.
A 0.007-inch taper was ground into the reduced section of the
flexure, which resulted in stress equalization across the flexure.
This was verified on the first Hastelloy flexure.

5.2.2.4 Hastelloy X Apparatus

The addition of the taper to the flexure specimens was the
only change in apparatus design found necessary in testing of the
steel components. A Lindberg/Hevi-Duty Model 51222 box furnace,
with a 5.25-in. x 3.75-in. x 8.00-in. chamber, and a Model 59344
temperature-control console were used to heat the test fixtures to
temperatures as high as 2200°F. The furnace was modified for use
with the chamber opening downward, so that it could be raised and

lowered over the test fixture (see Figure 5-8). This included making a new cover for the chamber opening that would enclose the test fixture to prevent heat loss. The cover was fabricated from Foamsil, a high-temperature silica foam insulation, which is easily worked and has better mechanical integrity than fire-brick (see Figure 5-9). This furnace originally had a hearth formed by inverting the lower heating element; this test did not need a hearth, so the element was again reversed to act as a normal element and provide a more uniform chamber heat distribution.

5.2.3 Instrumentation

5.2.3.1 Displacement Measuring System

The displacement measuring system is a "push-pull" optical device in which an image of the moving part is projected on a pair of light-sensitive plates. Movement of the object causes more light to strike one plate and less light to strike the other. (See Figure 5-10). The device consists of the following elements:

Light source
Condensing lens
Image plane and vane
Image-forming lens system
Light-sensitive cells
Differential amplifier and power supply
Readout meter

An ordinary incandescent lamp and biconvex lens provide the illumination. The image of a rod attached to the free end of the vibrating assembly (see Figure 5-6) is projected by two spaced
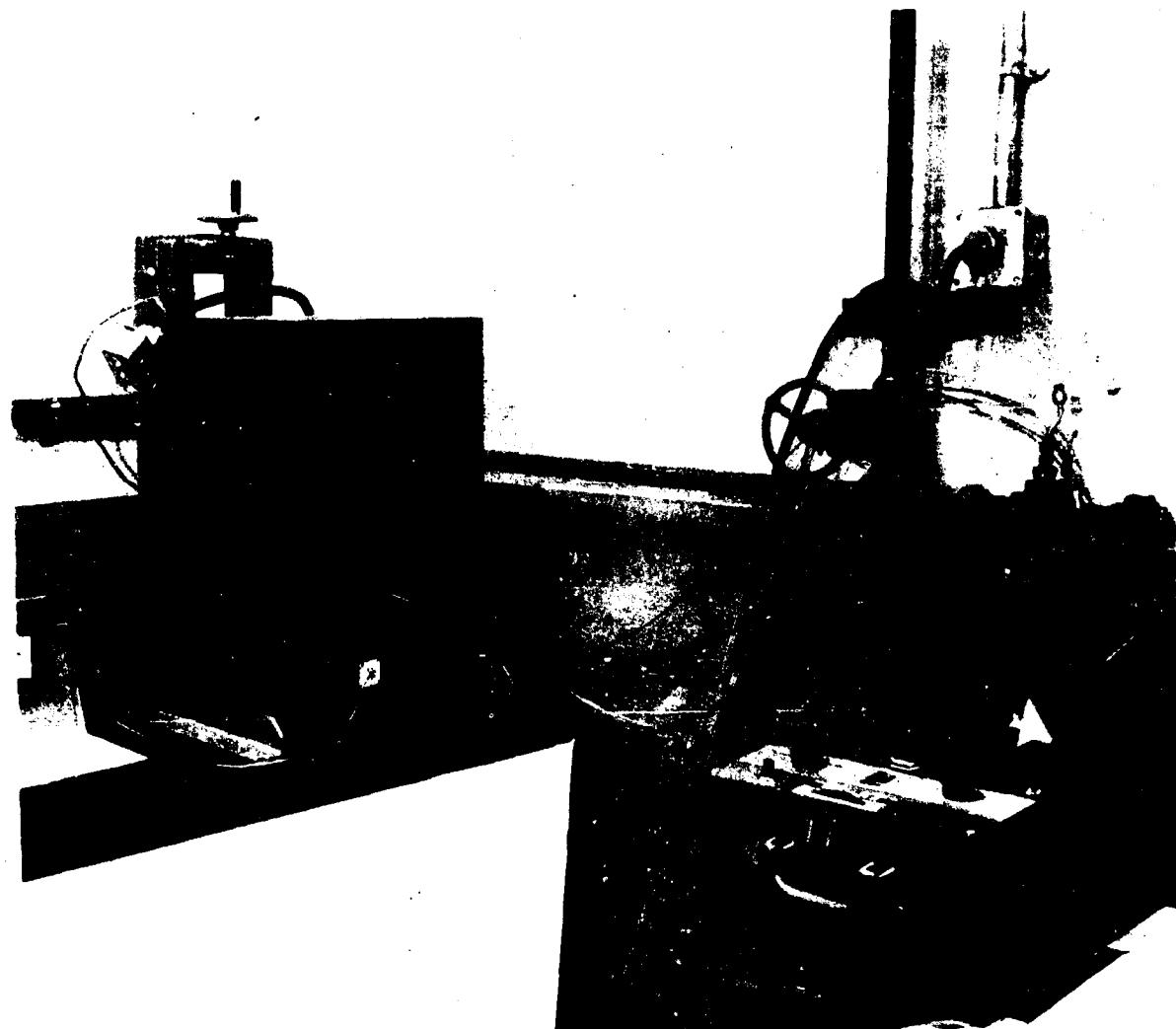
FIGURE 5-8

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ERDL HIGH TEMPERATURE VIBRATION DAMPING TEST
TEST APPARATUS WITH OVEN AND INSTRUMENTATION

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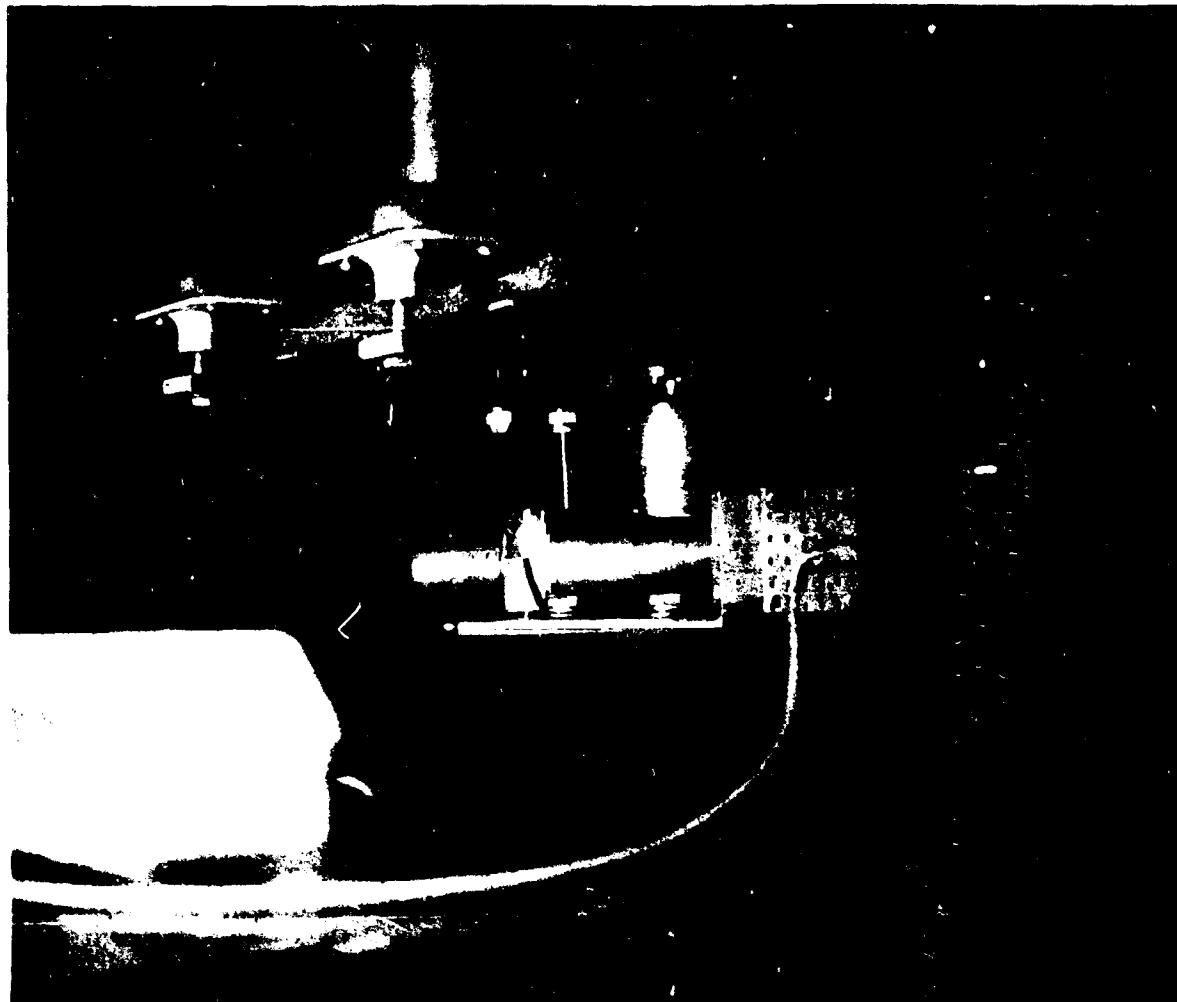
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TEST APPARATUS AND MODIFIED OVEN OPENING

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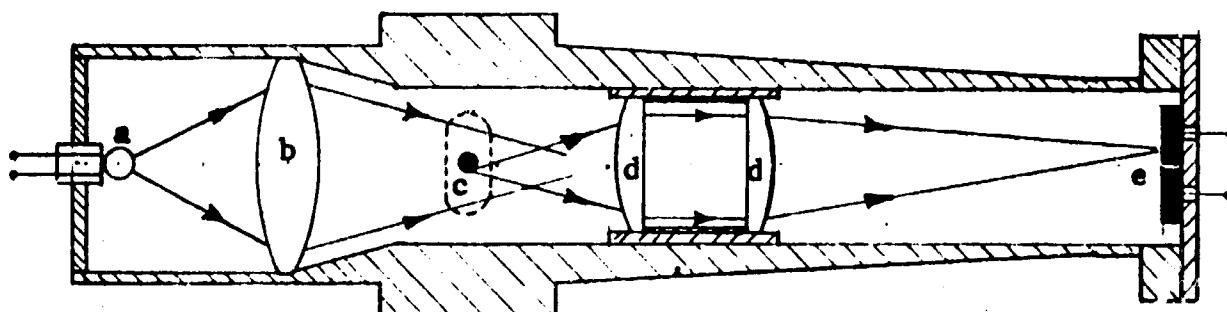
OPTICAL PICKUP (A)

(a) LIGHT SOURCE
(b) CONDENSING LENS
(c) MOVING VANE
(d) IMAGE FORMING LENSES
(e) LIGHT SENSITIVE CELLS
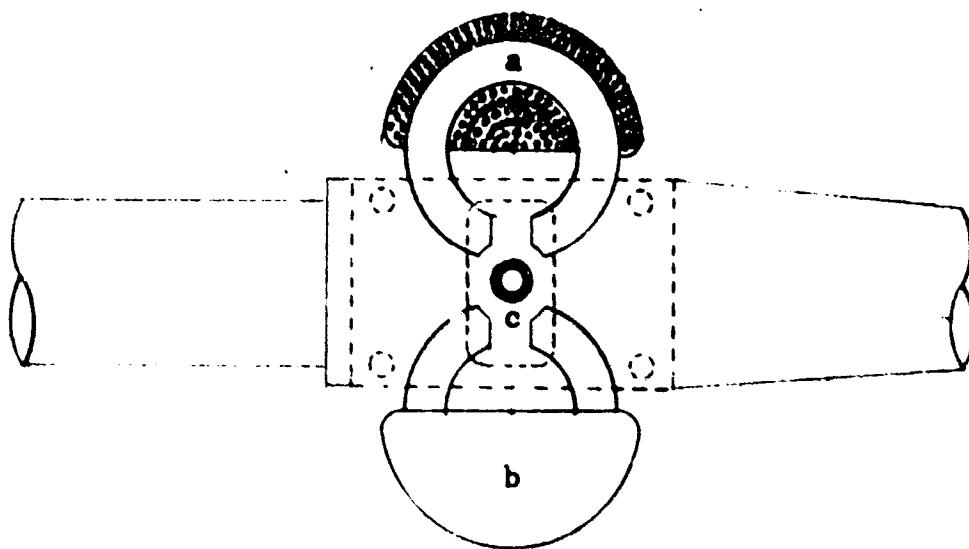
DRIVER (B)

(a) IRON CORE
(b) COIL
(c) SOFT STEEL BUTTON

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plano-convex lenses onto a pair of light-sensitive silicon photo cells. The light beam is carefully positioned so the image will cover the same effective area of each of the light-sensitive cells when at rest. Thus, the output of the two light cells is equal. Motion of the free end of the test assembly in a plane perpendicular to the light beam causes more light to strike one cell and less to strike the other. The difference in output of the two cells is amplified by a differential amplifier and readout on appropriate electric meters.

Calibration is carried out by displacing the rod a known amount by means of a micrometer and measuring the electrical output of the differential amplifier. The high-frequency response of the silicon photo devices used insures no loss of sensitivity in the range of frequencies to be used (50 cps).

5.2.3.2 Electric Driver and Controls

The electric driver provides the alternating force required to excite and maintain constant amplitude of vibration measured at the free end of the assembly. The driver consists of a pair of magnets and associated electronic equipment (see Figure 5-10).

5.2.3.2.1 Magnets

The magnets are circular powdered-iron cores with a segment removed. Each core is wound with 1,000 turns of No. 30 magnet wire.

Two opposing magnets are used so as to provide the same average force in each direction, thus causing the assembly to vibrate about its "at rest" position. The driver armature is a 0.5-inch-diameter button of soft steel attached to the rod above the displacement pickup (see Figure 5-11).
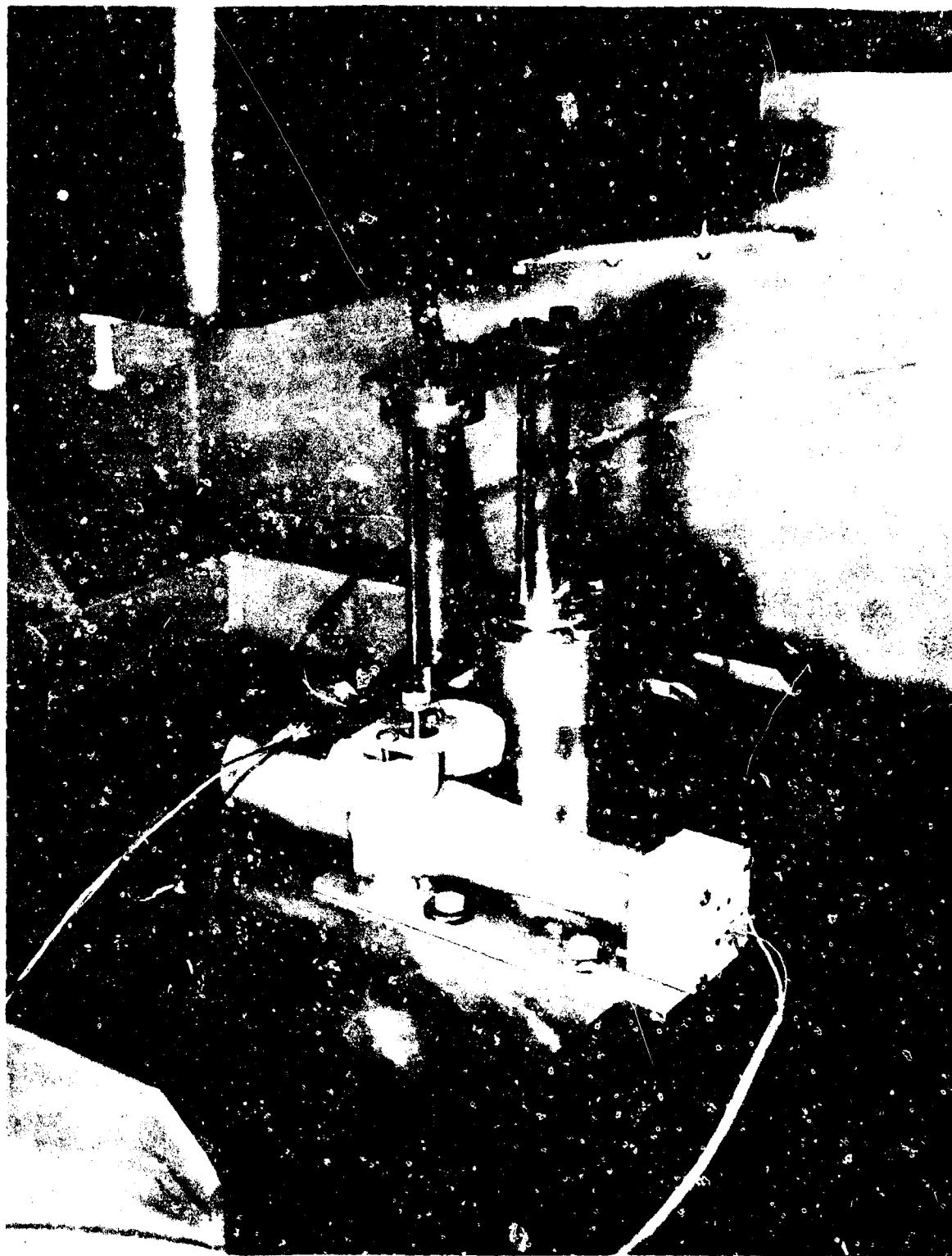
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FIGURE 5-11

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APPARATUS WITH DRIVER COILS

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5.2.3.2.2 Driver Power Supply and Control

Power is supplied to the magnets by means of a regenerative electronic system. The signal received from the optical displacement pickup is amplified with the output of the amplifier used for two purposes, to provide the necessary power to drive the vibrating assembly and to provide control of the amplitude of vibration (see Figure 5-12).

The circuit is designed so that when the amplitude of vibration, hence, voltage, measured at the output of the amplifier exceeds a fixed reference voltage, the SCR's (silicon controlled rectifiers) are phased back, which reduces the portion of the half wave that is fed to each driver coil. Equilibrium is reached when power delivered to the vibrating system by the coils is exactly that dissipated in the vibrating system. Increase in vibration results in reduction of driving power, and vice versa. The amplitude is controlled by adjusting the gain of the McIntosh amplifier. When the gain is adjusted to a low value, the overall loop gain is too low and the system will not be self-exciting, even with no phase-back in the SCR's. If the gain is increased, a threshold is reached at which the system is barely able to sustain a constant vibration. Above this gain setting, the vibration will increase until the output of the amplifier is large enough to actuate the phase-back control. The input to the amplifier is the actual amplitude of vibration, and the input level required to produce the output level that will limit the drive is inversely proportional to the amplifier gain. Therefore, increasing the gain setting above the threshold value decreases vibration level. Under most conditions the system will not be self-starting, even with high gain, but will readily build up if given an initial shock.

SCR TRIGGER CIRCUIT

IN2070

IN2070

220Ω

IN2070

CONTROL MAGAMP

IN2070

IN2070

200Ω

AMPLITUDE MEAS CCT

IN2070

2.2K

470Ω

+470Ω

IN2070

8.5V

DRIVER COILS

PULSE TRANS.

SCR

SCR

16Ω

Gnd
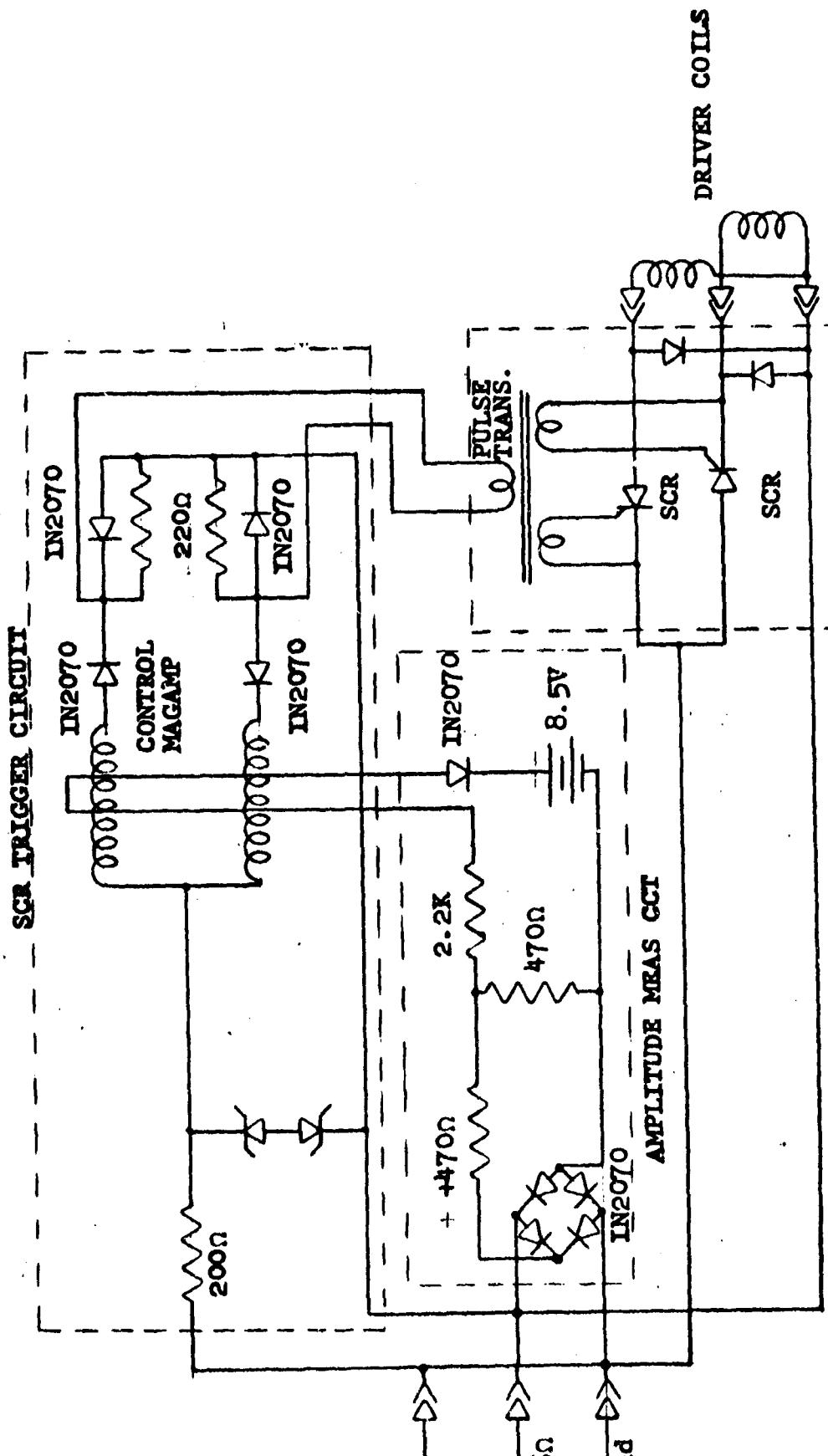
SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF DRIVER CIRCUIT

FIGURE 5-12

5.2.3.3 Readout Instruments

Figure 5-13 shows a block diagram of instrumentation used during the test program.

The optical pickup and amplifier, along with the amplitude control system, are described in the previous section.

The output of the optical system was monitored in three ways:

(a) By using a Bruel and Kjaer Type 2407 VTVM to monitor the "peak" value of the a-c output from the optical system. This is described in more detail under the section on calibration.

(b) By using a General Radio Type 12030A d-c electrometer voltmeter. This instrument was used to measure the d-c shift of the "Zero" in the optical system and calibration under static conditions as outlined in detail under the section on calibration.

(c) By using a Bruel and Kjaer Type 2407 frequency analyzer. Since the natural frequency of the test flexure lay between 44 and 58 cps, it was convenient to have a narrow-bandwidth filter to remove any 60-cps noise in the system. Very little was present where, if not available, the filter would not have been needed and a phase-shifting device could be substituted in its place. Due to the characteristics of the filters, some phase distortion was present. Very minor filter adjustments were used not only to adjust for the frequency shifts due to the temperature change in the test sample, but also to phase the signal of the driver coils to the test apparatus.

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B & K 2107
FREQUENCY
ANALYZER

McINTOSH
60 W AMPLIFIER

VOLTMETER

MAGNETIC
DRIVER

ELECTRONIC
CONTROL

OPTICAL
PICKUP

AMPLIFIER

B & K 2407
VTVM

GR 12030A D.C.
ELECTROMETER
VOLTMETER

B&K 2304
LEVEL
RECORDER

ARADEX
MOD. CF-200
COUNTER

CRT
OSCILLOSCOPE
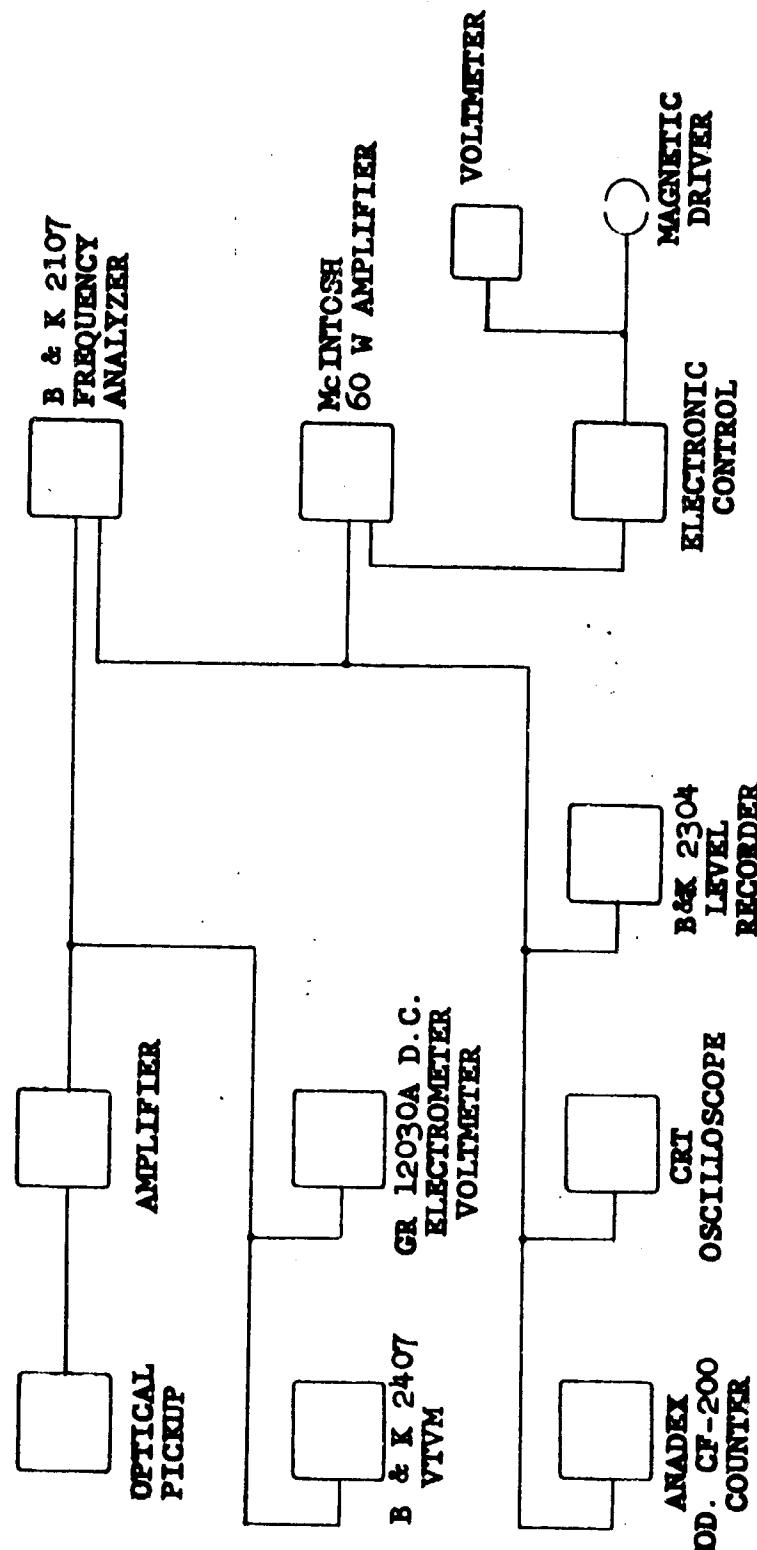
**INSTRUMENTATION USED
WITH VIBRATION DAMPING TEST**

FIGURE 5-13

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The result of the phase adjustment was monitored on the volt-
meter across the driver coils, and the filters adjusted to the
lowest voltage necessary to drive the system to the required ampli-
tude.

The signal output from the frequency analyzer provided the
input for the power amplifier used in the drive system. This
signal was also recorded on the Bruel and Kjaer Type 2304 level
recorder as decay rates. The flexure was driven to a predeter-
mined amplitude, and the signal to the power amplifier was inter-
rupted. The decay in amplitude of the system at its natural
frequency was then recorded on the chart paper as a logarithmic
decay. This facilitates the use of a Bruel and Kjaer protractor
used to read off the recorded slopes in seconds per 60 db, which
is then easily converted to decibels per second.

An Anadex Model CF-200 counter was used for accurate frequency
measurement. Frequency was read as period to the 5th decimal
place. With proper adjustment of the filter in the frequency
analyzer, the difference between frequencies while driven and
during the decays would vary only in the last significant figure.

A CRT oscilloscope was also used to monitor the wave shape
during testing to detect any anomalous behavior in the system.

The instrumentation is shown in Figures 5-7 and 5-8.

5.2.4 Calibration

5.2.4.1 Temperature Survey

Figure 5-6 shows the apparatus instrumented for the temperature survey. Since a uniform temperature distribution over the test section was necessary to obtain valid data, the first Hastelloy X flexure, Serial No. 1, was instrumented with four CA thermocouples imbedded in MgO. These thermocouples were alternated, two on top and two on the bottom of the test section. Because no instrumentation could be attached to the moving parts of this apparatus, these four thermocouples were compared to two CA thermocouples attached to the supporting column. These thermocouples were attached in a location that would place them as close as possible to the test section (see Figure 5-6).

The temperature spread was surprisingly small throughout the range from room temperature to 2000°F. The temperature spread between the upper and the lower surfaces of the test section ranged from 0 to 3°F. The temperature spread between the two thermocouples on the support column was not distinguishable. The temperature spread between the average of the four thermocouples on the flexure and the two on the column ranged from zero at room temperature to 15°F at 2000°F. This spread was not taken into consideration in the actual test, as the percentage of error was small enough not to affect the overall data.

5.2.4.2 Stress-to-Displacement Relationship (Hastelloy X)

Flexure No. 32 was instrumented with two strain gauges forming a half bridge. These gauges were placed in the center of the test section--one on the upper surface and one on the lower surface. The magnetic driver shown in Figure 5-11 was replaced with a micrometer barrel. In this manner, the bolt extension protruding

from the column on the free end could be deflected a known distance.
For a known static deflection, the d-c change in the optical pick-
up was measured in millivolts and the resulting strain of the
flexure was measured, from zero to 0.014 inch deflection, in the
positive and negative direction. The positive direction subjects
the upper surface of the flexure to compressive loads and the lower
surface to tension loads, and conversely for the negative direction.
Static strain was read out with a Baldwin SR_4 Strain Indicator.

Graph No. 5-1 shows the results of these measurements. These
measurements were confirmed under dynamic conditions by use of a
Tectronix oscilloscope with a Type Q strain-gauge plug in unit and
a VTVM reading peak voltage.

5.3 Test Procedure

5.3.1 Operational Procedure

Each flexure specimen was installed with considerable care
being taken to maintain exactly the same fixture configuration and
part location. This was necessary because of the extreme sensitiv-
ity of the system natural frequency to how it was assembled. Upon
installation of the flexure specimen, the optical system was reset
to a zero position. This was accomplished by adjusting the
potentiometer in the optical system amplifier, or by shifting the
optical system on its base. Both methods were used during the
test because the range of the potentiometer was not enough to cover
the shift at high operating temperatures. With the initial zero
point known, temperature stabilization of the flexure could be estab-
lished by observing the shift of the zero point. Calibration had
shown a 4-millivolt amplitude shift for each $100^\circ F$ temperature
change due to thermal expansion of the flexure.
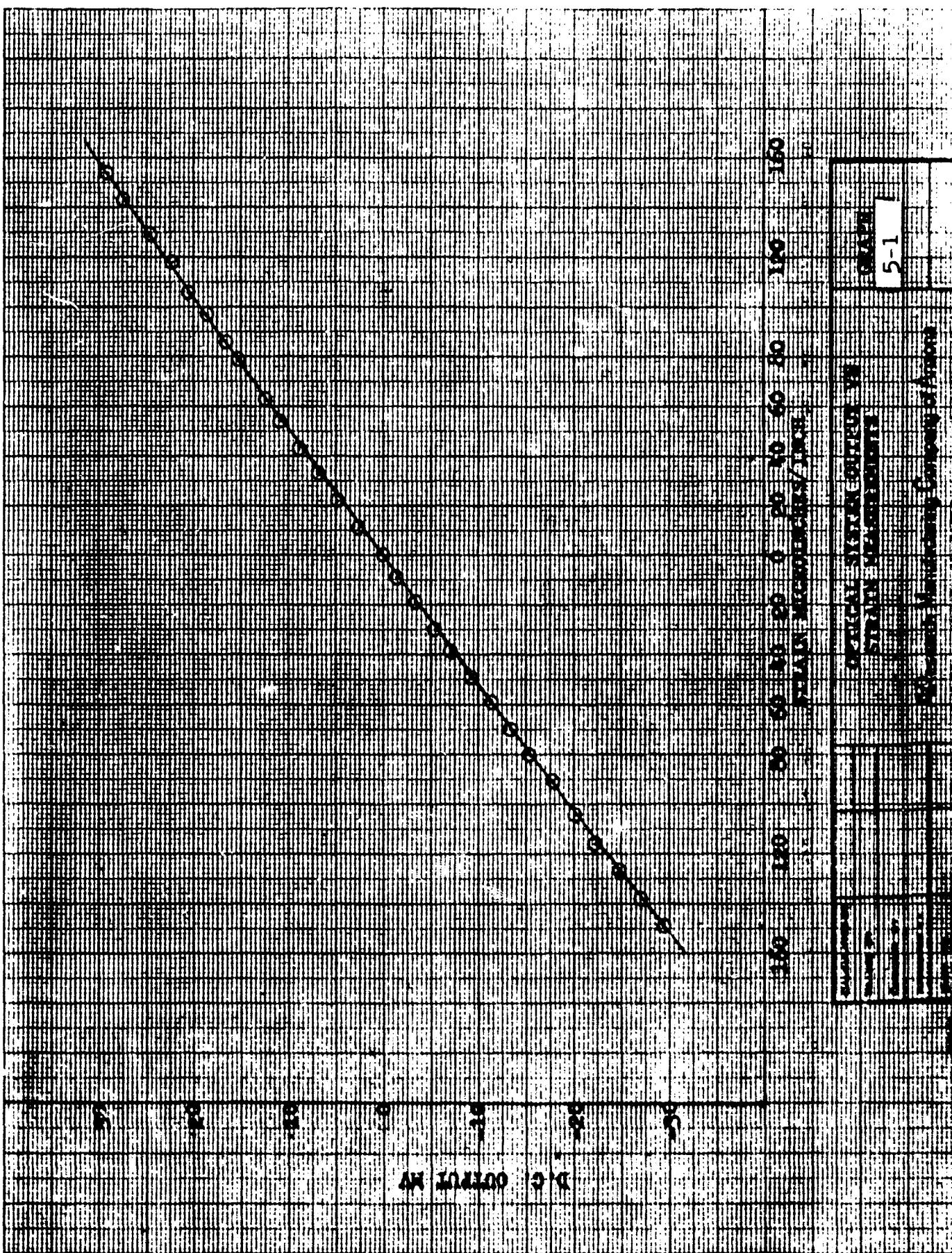
D-C OUTPUT MV

STRAIN MICROINCHES/INCH

Since a feedback energizing system was used, vibration was easily induced in the flexure; if very little damping were involved, the system could be excited acoustically, as sometimes occurred when doors were slammed, even at distant locations in the building. All decays (runs) were started from a peak vibration level of 30 mv (see Graph 5-1), and the tests were carried out with little effort or trouble. It was found that the insulating cover for the furnace chamber affected the decay rate. With the cover in place the decay of an uncoated Hastelloy X flexure was 0.431 db per second, and it was 0.361 db per second with the cover removed. The close fit between the cover and the free end of the flexure made viscous damping by the air itself a significant factor. At least 30 minutes was allowed for stabilization after each temperature change. For each temperature, four decay rates and period measurements were recorded. Due to the time involved-- up to 16 hours for some tests--data was taken with increasing temperatures. If two tests were involved, the system was allowed to cool overnight and the test was repeated the next day.

5.3.2 Base-Line Test

The primary objective of this test was the study of coatings, which requires knowledge of the material being coated and of the sensitivity of the apparatus. Thirty-one test bars were fabricated from Hastelloy X; 3 of these were used for base-line tests (see tabulation in Section 5.3.2.1), and 17 were not tested. The first test was discarded, as the instrumentation had not been completely refined and the frequency measurements were subject to doubt. A second test was run on another bare flexure, and the third flexure was tested later in the test program. The results are shown as base lines on the plotted data. The frequency shown is an average (smoothed) curve of the two runs. The actual difference in frequency measured between the two bars was 0.217 cps.

The difference in decay rate was not distinguishable, with the scale used up to 1500°F. This temperature is where the Hastelloy X shows a damping phenomenon of its own. Beyond 1500°F the damping indicated a difference of ±2 db per second from which the curve is smoothed. An explanation of this damping peak in the Hastelloy is offered in Section 5.6. A more ideal procedure, if time had permitted, would have involved a base-line test on each flexure prior to coating application.

5.3.2.1 Tabulation of Flexures and Coatings Tested

Those flexures not listed were either held as spares or rejected as being defective.

Flexure No. 1

No coating involved; used for confirmation of stress distribution. Finally instrumented for temperature survey.

Flexure No. 8

Type A vitreous coating, tested from room temperature to 1006°F. Coating changed from a dark charcoal grey to white which was cross-hatched with fine fracture lines (note that this coating was subjected to tests up to firing temperature). See Graphs 5-2 and 5-17.

Flexure No. 9

Type A vitreous coating, tested from room temperature to 697°F. Coating changed from a dark charcoal grey to a light grey. No fracture lines visible. This was the first test performed, and due to questionable frequency measurements, the data is not presented.

Flexure No. 10

Type B vitreous coating. Two tests were performed--the first from room temperature to 930°F, and the second from 180°F to 1020°F. No change was observed in the color of the coating--a small ridge appeared in the coating after the second test. See Graphs 5-3 and 5-18.

Flexure No. 11

Type Bb vitreous coating. Two tests were performed--the first from room temperature to 1185°F; the second from room temperature to 1255°F. No change was observed in the color or texture of the coating. See Graphs 5-4 and 5-19.

Flexure No. 12

Type C vitreous coating. Two tests were performed--the first from room temperature to 1720°F; the second from 862°F to 1615°F. No change was observed in the color or texture of the coating. See Graphs 5-5 and 5-20.

Flexure No. 14

Manganese copper alloy Type CDC 780 coating. This flexure and its coating were solution-heat-treated at 850°C and cured at 450°C for 1/2 hour. This resulted in the nearly complete loss of the coating by peeling (see Figures 5-14 and 5-15). No test was performed.

FIGURE 5-14

Photograph No. P26369-1

ERDL HIGH TEMPERATURE VIBRATION DAMPING TEST
FLEXURE NO. 14 MnCu ALLOY COATING AFTER HEAT TREAT

FIGURE 5-15

Photograph No. P26369-2

ERDL HIGH TEMPERATURE VIBRATION DAMPING TEST
FLEXURE NO. 14 MnCu ALLOY COATING AFTER HEAT TREAT

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Flexure No. 16

Manganese copper alloy Type CDC 720 coating. One test was performed from room temperature to 1660°F, as the coating peeled during this test. See Graphs 5-9 and 5-24.

Flexure No. 17

Aluminum cermet XAP003. Two tests were performed--the first from room temperature to 1000°F; the second from room temperature to 1000°F. No visible change took place in the coating on either test. See Graphs 5-11 and 5-26.

Flexure No. 18

Manganese copper alloy Type CDC 780. Three tests were performed--No. 1 from room temperature to 849°F. The temperature was held at 849°F for 1/2 hour to show the effects of aging. There was no visible change in the coating following this test.

Test No. 2 was performed from room temperature to 1712°F. Following this test the color of the coating had changed from metallic grey to a blue-gold color. The flexure was removed from the setup at this time and reinstalled later for Test No. 3.

Test No. 3 was performed from room temperature to 1850°F. The coating peeled during this test (see Figures 5-16 and 5-17). See Graphs 5-6, 5-7, and 5-22.

FIGURE 5-16

Photograph No. P26369-3

ERDL HIGH TEMPERATURE VIBRATION DAMPING TEST
FLEXURE NO. 18 AFTER TEST NO. 3 MnCu ALLOY COATING

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FIGURE 5-17

Photograph No. P26369-4

ERDL HIGH TEMPERATURE VIBRATION DAMPING TEST
FLEXURE NO. 18 AFTER TEST NO. 3 MnCu ALLOY COATING

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Flexure No. 22

Aluminum cermet XAP001. Two tests were performed--No. 1 from room temperature to 995°F. No visible change took place in the coating during this test. Test No. 2 was performed from room temperature to 1340°F. This coating changed to a dark blue-black color with a flaky appearance. See Graphs 5-10 and 5-25..

Flexure No. 23

Manganese copper alloy, CDC772. Two tests were performed-- No. 1 from room temperature to 1720°F. In this test the coating changed from a mottled black to a brassy color. There were no indications of peeling. Test No. 2 was conducted from room temperature to 1770°F. The coating peeled on this test. See Graphs 5-8 and 5-23.

Flexure No. 26

Not coated; tested as a bare bar to establish a frequency and damping base line for Hastelloy X.

Flexure No. 27

Several tests were performed on this flexure as follows:

No. 1 - Not coated; tested as a bare bar to establish a frequency and damping base line for Hastelloy X.

No. 2 - The flexure was painted with Sperex VHT coating (black). One test was performed from room temperature to 1529°F. No visible change took place in the coating. The coating was stripped off by sand-blasting following this test. See Graph 5-12.

No. 3 - With two layers of Mystik Tape No. 7402 applied to each side of the test section. Two tests were performed-- No. 1 from room temperature to 480°F and No. 2 from room temperature to 475°F. No visible change took place in the tape except for some swelling of the silicone adhesive after Test No. 1. See Graphs 5-13, 5-14, and 5-27.

Flexure No. 30

No coated. Tested as a bare bar to establish a frequency and damping base line for Hastelloy X. Data rejected due to questionable frequency measurements.

Flexure No. 32

Strain-gauge test used for displacement vs strain calibration. See Graph 5-1.

Flexure No. 33

Not actually a flexure, as the blank for this flexure was used for metallurgical tests to confirm that the material used for the flexures was Hastelloy X and not a substitute.

1020 Steel Flexure

Used for system shakedown--see Section 5.2.

Pure Copper Flexure (annealed)

The Young's modulus and yield strength of copper at room temperature closely resembles that of Hastelloy X at 2000°F.

This flexure was used to estimate what the base-line frequency characteristics of the system would be before the Hastelloy flexure material choice was fixed. The resulting decay rate and period count at room temperature were 5.25 db per second and 0.02220.

5.4 Data Analysis

5.4.1 Terminology

Because vibration damping is of interest to many disciplines, ranging from structural mechanics to organic chemistry, and including the field of music, there is a bewildering array of units, terms, and test methods. A major objective of Ref. 2 was to standardize units and nomenclature (see Figure 5-18); the terms recommended therein are used throughout this report, where possible.

Most damping tests measure system damping characteristics, rather than material damping properties, because the tests are of a comparative nature. The data from such tests is difficult or impossible to use in the behavior prediction for a different system. In order to calculate the effect of a damping coating on any system, it is necessary to know the damping characteristics of the coating material, and this property must be expressed in a usable form.

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FIGURE 5-18

CLASSIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED DAMPING UNITS, THEIR INTERRELATIONS, AND THEIR RELATIONS
TO THE MEASURED QUANTITIES OF DAMPING TESTING SYSTEMS

For viscoelastic and anelastic materials the complex modulus ($E^* + E' + iE''$, see paragraph 5.1.2.2) is a suitable expression for damping. The complex modulus (E^*) replaces Young's modulus (E). E', the stiffness modulus, is the ratio, of that part of the stress that is in phase with the strain, to the total strain. E", the loss modulus, is the ratio, of that part of the stress that leads the strain by 90 degrees, to the total strain. Strictly speaking, the complex modulus applies only to materials with quadratic damping (generating elliptical hysteresis loops); but it is also used for other materials, justification for which is presented in Section 6.0.

5.4.2 Objectives

The major objective of the test program was to generate data from which fundamental damping characteristics of the material could be obtained. Great care was taken in design of the test apparatus, specimens, and instrumentation to assure attainment of this objective. The material parameters desired were the stiffness modulus, E_2', and the damping factor, η_2, of the coating as a function of temperature. Their product, the loss modulus, E_2'', is a suitable "figure of merit," for comparison of coatings

These quantities cannot be measured directly, they must be deduced from measurable system characteristics such as resonant frequency decay rates, and coating geometry. The following section describes the evolution of the data processing methods used.

5.4.3 Derivation of Data Processing Methods

5.4.3.1 Oberst's Method

The original analysis of the structural damping characteristics of coatings was made by Oberst (Ref. 3), who considered a metal strip coated on one side only ,and subjected to pure bending waves. Following is a translation of a portion of Reference 3 covering derivations of relations for damping in coated metal strips.

"For the determination of the bending stiffness B we must first determine the location of the neutral axis. The damping can hereby be neglected. Let the origin of the rectangular coordinate system be on the neutral axis. The x-axis is in the direction of the length of the strip, the y-axis normal to the metal surface (see Figure 1).
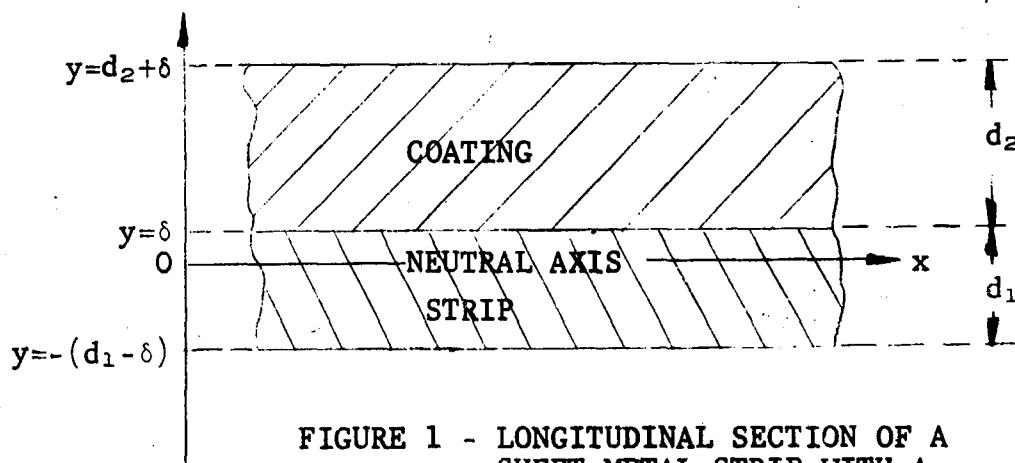
FIGURE 1 - LONGITUDINAL SECTION OF A
SHEET-METAL STRIP WITH A
DAMPING LAYER

"For the bending of the strip, the variation with y of the stress c along the longitudinal axes of metal and covering layers, Bernoulli's linear law holds true. The stress is equal to zero

on the neutral axis and varies linearly with y. One has

$$\epsilon = \frac{y}{j\omega} \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} , \tag{9}$$

$(1/j\omega) \partial w / \partial x$ is the variation of the angle of rotation in the x-direction.

"The normal strain in the x-direction is $\sigma = E_i \epsilon$; $i = 1$ or 2, and with ϵ from equation (9)

$$\sigma = \frac{E_i}{j\omega} y \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \tag{10}$$

"For pure bending ves, which are to be investigated here, no longitudinal for s are transferred, that is, the force acting on the rod cross section in the x-direction is equal to zero. Therefore

$$\int_{-(d_1 - \delta)}^{d_2 + \delta} \sigma \, dy = 0$$

where δ is the y-coordinate of the boundary between the covering layer and the metal (see figure 1). The integration with the aid of eq. (10) gives for δ the expression

$$\delta = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{E_1 d_1^2 - E_2 d_2^2}{E_1 d_1 + E_2 d_2} \tag{11}$$

For an uncovered sheet-metal ($d_2 = 0$), the neutral axis lies
in the metal center ($\delta = d_1/2$). As long as d_1 is comparable
with d_2 and $E_2 \ll E_1$ - this is generally the case in practice -
the distance of the neutral axis δ from the coating layer is
only slightly less than $d_1/2$. With increasing thickness ratio
d_2/d_1 and increasing modulus E_2 the neutral axis approaches
closer to the coating layer and can exceed it for large covering
strips and stiffnesses such that δ assumes negative values.

"The location of the neutral axis is thus known and the bending
moment M can be calculated. We have

$$M = \int_{-(d_1 - \delta)}^{d_2 + \delta} y \, \sigma \, dy$$

Here, the damping of the covering layer must be considered, and in
the expression for σ according to eq. (11) we use the complex
value $\overline{E}_2 = E_2(1 + j\eta_2)$ in place of E_2. With the aid of eqs. (10)
and (11), one obtains for M the expression:

$$M = \frac{\overline{B}}{j\omega} \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}$$

with

$$B = B_1 \cdot \frac{1 + 2\overline{a}(2\xi + 3\xi^2 + 2\xi^3) + \overline{a}^2 \xi^4}{1 + \overline{a} \xi} \tag{12}$$

$$\xi = d_2/d_1, \quad \overline{a} = \overline{E}_2/E_1 = (E_2/E_1)(1 + j\eta_2),$$
$$B_1 = E_1 I_1, \quad I_1 = d_1^3/12 \, ;$$

I_1 is the well-known axial moment of inertia of the cross section
of rectangular rods of thickness d_1.

"With this the complex bending stiffness $\overline{B}$ of the metal strip with covering layer are also known. It remains to separate in the expression for $\overline{B}$ the real and the imaginary part and to determine the quantities B and η in $\overline{B} = B(1 + j\eta)$ individually. With B and m, one knows the bending wave velocity according to eq. (7) and with this the bending wave-length on the covered metal strip; η is its loss factor which determines the damping of the bending waves.

"The separation of real and imaginary parts in the expression for $\overline{B}$ gives

$$\frac{B}{B_1} = \frac{1 + 2a(2\xi + 3\xi^2 + 2\xi^3) + a^2\xi^4}{1 + a\xi} \tag{13}$$

$$\frac{\eta}{\eta_2} = \frac{a\,\xi}{1 + a\xi} \cdot \frac{3 + 6\xi + 4\xi^2 + 2a\xi^3 + a^2\xi^4}{1 = 2a(2\xi + 3\xi^2 + 2\xi^3) + a^2\xi^4} \tag{14}$$

$$a = E_2/E_1$$

where η_2^2 is neglected with respect to 1.

"The ratio B/B_1 and η/η_2 can easily be determined by experiment, B/B_1 from the measured characteristic bending frequencies. From the latter, one obtains the constants $\sqrt{B/m}$ (for the metal strip with covering layer) and $\sqrt{B_1/m_1}$ (for the metal strip alone) (see Section 3). However, B/m is constant only as long as the elastic modulus E_2 of the layer is constant (independent of the frequency). Knowing m_1 and m, one knows also B/B_1 and with this and the measured values $\xi = d_2/d_1$ one can determine by means of eq. (13) the ratio of the elastic moduli $A = E_2/E_1$. If one knows a and when η is measured, one can also determine the loss factor η_2 of the covering layer with the aid of eq. (14).

"The method of the bending waves on small sheet-metal strips with covering layers therefore permits one to find the elastic modulus and loss factor of the damping layers. The numerical determination of E_2 and η_2 with eqs. (13) and (14) would be troublesome. Figures 2 and 3 present families of curves from which one can take these quantities directly.

"Figure 2 presents curves of $\sqrt{B/B_1}$ as functions of $\zeta = d_2/d_1$ with $a = E_2/E_1$ as the parameter. The latter is varied in the range from $a = 10^{-5}$ to 10^{-1}. For larger values of a the elastic modulus of the covering layer would come close to that of the steel and it is unlikely that damping materials exist which have such high rigidity with high internal losses. The value $a = 10^{-5}$ corresponds to that for very soft rubber. For values of $a < 10^{-5}$ one would obtain satisfactory loss factors η only with very large covering thicknesses (see Figure 3). The curves of Figure 2 are even valid when η_2 is of the order 1.

"Figure 3 presents the corresponding family of curves for η/η_2. The scale on the ordinate is extended (in logarithmic presentation) downward only to $\eta/\eta_2 = 5 \times 10^{-3}$. Smaller values, for which η would also be very small, are of no practical interest. The curves increase monotonically with increasing ζ and approach the limiting value 1 when $\zeta \to \infty$. A certain waviness of the curves can be seen, (the curves passing through some maxima and minima before attaining the limiting value), but they are not very pronounced. The curves of Figure 3 are also valid in all practical cases of interest even when η_2 is of the order of 1. Only for comparatively large parameter values a do small deviations occur for large values of ζ, but which are generally of no significance compared to the scatter of the η test values."
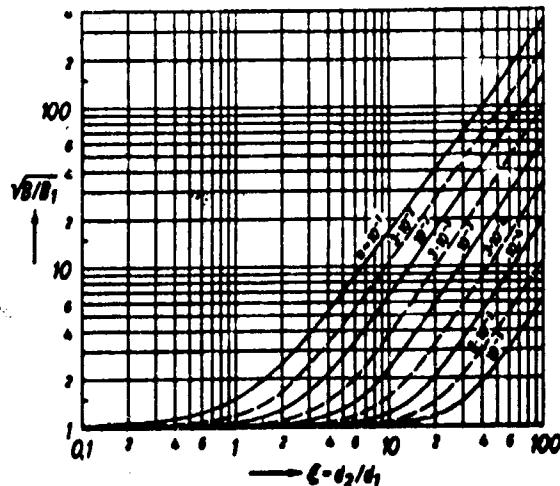
Figure 2.-Ratio of the bending stiffnesses of the covered and
uncovered strips as a function of the thickness ratio.
Parameter $a = E_2/E_1$.
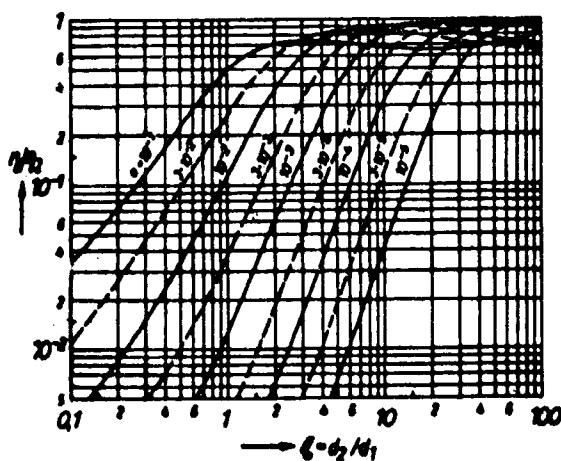
Figure 3.-Ratio of the loss factors of the covered sheet-metal
and of the covering as a function of the thickness ratio.
Parameter $a = E_2/E_1$.

For preliminary examination of data, the consultant, Dr. Lazan, recommended use of Oberst's method as follows:

"The error in replacing the double-coated beam for calculation purposes by the single coated beam is proportional to $1-(H_{1,2}/H'_{1,2})^2$. If $h_2 = H_2/H_1$ equals 0.1 (approximate value for your beam), then the error in assuming that $H_{1,2} = H'_{1,2}$ is only about 4%. I believe, therefore, that you can use the equations and curves given in attachment 'c'.

"In order to use Figure 34.7 in attachment 'c', it is necessary to know E_2/E_1, the ratio of the modulus of the coating to the modulus of the base or test beam. For a given test beam and free grip assembly (grip that vibrates during decay test) and assuming the inertia of the beam and coating is much smaller than the inertia of the free grip assembly, the natural frequency of the system is:

$$f_n^2 = KEI$$

where K is a proportionality constant, E is Young's modulus, and I is moment of inertia.

For the bare test (uncoated) beam $EI = E_1 I_1$, the natural frequency is:

$$f_{n_1}^2 = KE_1 I_1$$

For the composite beam (test beam plus coating which can be described by $E_2 I_2$, where $E_2 = E^* - E'$ of coating), the natural frequency is:

$$f_{nc}^2 = K(E_1 I_1 + E_2 I_2)$$

Combining these two equations:

$$\left(\frac{f_{nc}}{f_{n_1}}\right)^2 = \frac{E_1 I_1 + E_2 I_2}{E_1 I_1} = 1 + \frac{E_2 I_2}{E_1 I_1}$$

$$\frac{E_2}{E_1} = \frac{I_1}{I_2}\left[\left(\frac{f_{nc}}{f_{n_1}}\right)^2 - 1\right]$$

Thus, to determine the ratio E_2/E_1 it is necessary only to measure the natural frequencies of the system using both the uncoated beam and the coated beam keeping other features of the test constant. The moments of inertia I_1 and I_2 are about the centroidal axis (or central) axis of the composite beam. For reasonably thin coatings the moment of inertia of I_2 is merely $A_2 \times H_{1,2}^2$ (or $(H'_{1,2})^2$ if you wish to use the refinement mentioned above), where A_2 is the cross-section of the coating."

The first data obtained on a porcelain enamel yielded values of 'a' considerably greater than that considered likely by Oberst, and indicated that η_2 was larger than expected. Initial tests of the apparatus revealed a distinct peak for internal friction of Hastelloy X, such that the assumption made by Oberst that $\eta_1 = 0$ might not be jusitifed. If Oberst's method were to be used, his Figure 3 would have to be extended to the regime describing our test specimens. This would require complicated calculations with questionable assumptions, and would have results of doubtful value. Therefore, an alternative method was sought. It was found that Oberst's analytical method could be applied to the simpler case of a double-coated bar designed for uniform strain, and the result also took a simpler form. No analyses of double coatings were found in the literature. References 16, 17, 26, and 30, considered standard sources, merely copy Oberst's single-coating analysis.

5.4.3.2 Derivations For Double Coating

Refer to Figure 5-19, but otherwise use Oberst's notation:

The bending moment is M,

$$M = \frac{B^*}{j\omega} \frac{\partial W}{\partial x} = 2 \int_0^{\alpha+\beta} \sigma y \, dy$$

$$\sigma = \frac{Ei}{j\omega} y \frac{\partial W}{\partial x} \quad \left(\begin{matrix}\text{Oberst}\\\text{Eq. 10}\end{matrix}\right)$$

$$\frac{B^*}{j\omega} \frac{\partial W}{\partial x} = 2 \int_0^{\alpha+\beta} \frac{Ei}{j\omega} \frac{\partial W}{\partial x} y^2 \, dy$$

but since the double-coated bar has been designed for uniform surface strain, $\frac{\partial W}{\partial x}$ is a constant and may be removed from under the integral, along with $\frac{1}{j\omega}$.
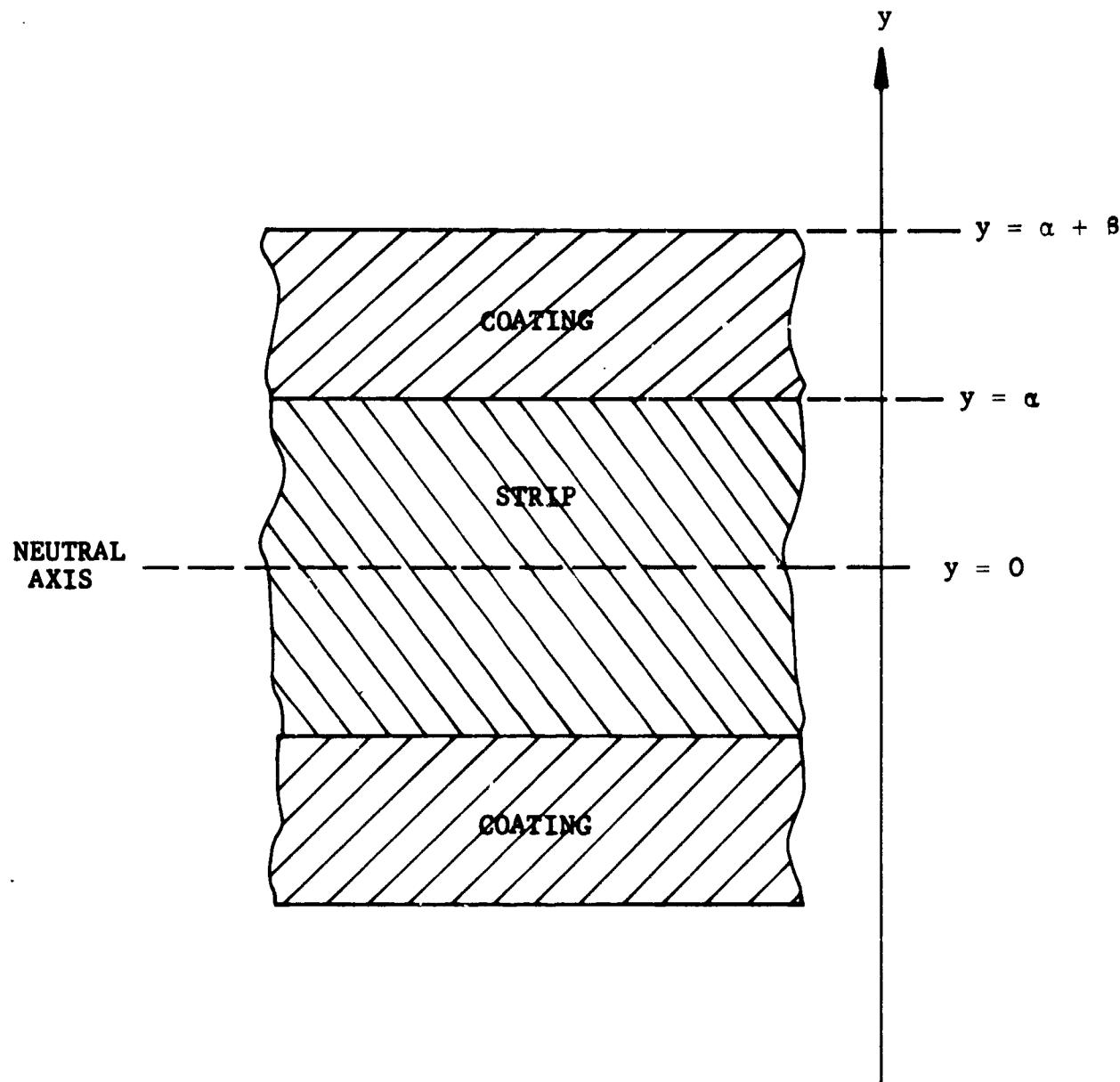
FIGURE 5-19

LONGITUDINAL SECTION OF A
SHEET-METAL STRIP WITH TWO
DAMPING LAYERS

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$$B^* = \frac{2}{3} (E^*_1 \ y^3]^\alpha_0 + E^*_2 \ y^3]^{\alpha + \beta}_\alpha)$$

$$B' + i\eta B^* = \frac{2}{3} [E^*_1 \ \alpha^3 + E^*_2 \ (\alpha + \beta)^3 - E^*_2 \ \alpha^3]$$

Set $\eta_1 = 0$, separate real and imaginary parts, and set $\frac{E_2'}{E_1'} = a$.

Then $\quad \dfrac{\eta}{\eta_2} = \dfrac{a(3 \ \alpha^2 \ \beta + 3\alpha\beta^2 + \beta^3)}{\alpha^3 + a(3\alpha^2 \beta + 3\alpha\beta^2 + \beta^3)}$

If $\quad \zeta = \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$, and $C = (3 \ \zeta + 3\zeta^2 + \zeta^3)$, then $\eta_2 = \eta \ \dfrac{1 + aC}{aC}$

C is determined purely by the geometry of the coating and test bar but both η and "a" must be determined from test data. A derivation for "a" has already appeared in the previous section.

$$a = \frac{I_1}{I_2} [(\frac{F}{F_1})^2 - 1]$$ and it may be readily shown that the ratio of the moments of inertia is $\dfrac{I_1}{I_2} = \dfrac{1}{3(\zeta + \zeta^2)}$

The test instrumentation displayed period rather then frequency, so the substitution was made

$$P_n = 1/f_n$$

5.4.3.3 Correction for Residual Damping

It is necessary to use a corrected value for η (damping coefficient of a coated bar), because the derivation of the ratio of $\frac{\eta}{\eta_2}$ introduced the simplifying assumption that $\eta_1 = 0$ which, due to anelasticity in Hastelloy X, is not strictly true. To avoid this difficulty, Professor Lazan derived a corrected value for η, which corrected the observed decay rates to what would have been observed if η_1 were zero, as follows:

"During our recent telephone conversation you inquired about possible methods for subtracting the damping properties of the bare specimen from the overall damping so that the damping associated only with the coating can be specified. I will cover additional information on this and other points you mention in your letters in conversation at a later date.

" My personal preference for specifying the damping properties of the coating would be in terms of the damping energy dissipation rather than a dimensionless energy ratio for the base member with coating. However, most of the prior publications on this have been in terms of a dimensionless unit such as the loss coefficient or loss factor η. In view of this and since the material I sent you with my letter of May 25 includes analysis in terms of the loss coefficient, I believe it probably is better to analyze the coatings in terms of the loss coefficient.

"It would be possible to analyze the coating in terms of the decibel rate, such as done in the preliminary data you sent to me. However, I believe that the loss coefficient is the more accepted term for specifying damping, and I prefer this unit.

" I have very quickly derived the equations for finding the loss coefficient η_c that would be observed if only the coating were to dissipate energy (no energy assumed to be lost in the bare specimen). This would then show the loss coefficient that would be realized if the bare metal were to contribute nothing to the overall damping. As you recall, the graphs and other material I sent you review the subject in the context. I believe that the use of a term such as η_c is appropriate. Given below is the derivation and the equation, and I hope you will consider this tentative since I have not yet time to check it.

"Definitions:

$$\eta_s = \frac{D_s}{2\pi U_s} = \frac{\tau_{ts}}{27.3 \ f_s} \qquad \text{(Eq. 1)}$$

$$\eta_{sc} = \frac{D_{sc}}{2\pi U_{sc}} = \frac{D_s + D_c}{2\pi \ U_{sc}} = \frac{\tau_{tsc}}{27.3 \ f_{sc}} \qquad \text{(Eq. 2)}$$

$$\eta_c = \frac{D_c}{2\pi U_{sc}} \qquad \text{(Eq. 3)}$$

where η_s, $D_s U_s$, τ_{ts} and f_s are the loss coefficient, damping energy dissipation, strain energy, decay rate, and frequency, respectively, for bare test specimen.

η_{sc}, D_{sc}, U_{sc}, τ_{tsc} and f_{sc} are similar values for specimen with coating. Note that $D_{sc} = D_s + D_c$ and $U_{sc} = U_s + U_c$.

η_c = loss coefficient of coated specimen if bare specimen has a damping energy dissipation (D_s) equal to zero.

D_c = damping energy dissipated in coating above.

"Given: - Values Measured in Decay Apparatus.

$$\tau_{ts}, \ f_s, \ \tau_{tsc} \ \text{and} \ f_{sc}$$

"To Find: -

$$\eta_c$$

"Calculation: -

"Strain energy at displacement equal to vibration amplitude X_a = kinetic energy at zero displacement = $\frac{1}{2} M V^2 = \frac{1}{2}M(2\pi f X_a)^2$

where V = velocity at zero displacement

M = an effective mass for the free arm in the apparatus

f = frequency of vibration-cps.

$$\frac{U_s}{U_{sc}} = \frac{2\pi^2 M\, f_s^2\, X_a^2}{2\pi^2 M\, f_{sc}^2\, X_a^2} = \left(\frac{f_s}{f_{sc}}\right)^2 \qquad \text{(Eq. 4)}$$

"From Equation 2

$$\frac{D_s}{2\pi\, U_{sc}} + \frac{D_c}{2\pi U_{sc}} = \frac{\tau_{tsc}}{27.3\, f_{sc}} \qquad \text{(Eq. 5)}$$

"From Equation 1 and Equation 4

$$\frac{D_s}{2\pi\, U_{sc}} = \frac{D_s}{2\pi\, U_s}\left(\frac{U_s}{U_{sc}}\right) = \frac{\tau_{ts}}{27.3\, f_s}\left(\frac{f_s^2}{f_{sc}^2}\right) = \frac{\tau_{ts}}{27.3\, f_{sc}}\left(\frac{f_s}{f_{sc}}\right) \quad \text{(Eq. 6)}$$

"Substituting Equations 6 and 3 in Equation 5

$$\frac{\tau_{ts}}{27.3\, f_{sc}}\left(\frac{f_s}{f_{sc}}\right) + \eta_c = \frac{\tau_{tsc}}{27.3\, f_{sc}}$$

$$\eta_c = \frac{1}{27.3\, f_{sc}}\left[\tau_{tsc} - \tau_{ts}\left(\frac{f_s}{f_{sc}}\right)\right] \qquad \text{(Eq. 7)"}$$

In the present notation

$$\eta = \frac{P_{12}\, 2}{27.3}\left[\tau_{12} - \tau_1\left(\frac{P_{12}}{P_1}\right)\right]$$

here τ_{12} is the observed vibration decay rate in db per second for the coated bar and τ is the observed decay rate for a bare bar.

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5.4.3.4 Review

Data reduction may be summarized as follows:

Given observed values of

d_1 = test bar thickness.

d_2 = coating thickness (per layer)

$$\left(\xi = \frac{2\,d_2}{d_1}\right)$$

τ_n = decay rate db per second for the nth configuration.

P_n = period of vibration (as observed at steady-state vibration) for the nth configuration

n = configuration index

1 = bare specimen

2 = coating only

12, or no subscript, designates the coated bar.

Calculate and plot vs. temperature.

η_2 = loss factor for coating

E_2' = stiffness modulus for coating

$E_2'' = \eta_2\,E_2'$ = loss modulus for coating.

To accomplish this the following relations are used:

$$\eta_2 = \eta_{12}\,\frac{1 + aC}{aC}$$

$$C = (3\,\xi + 3\xi^2 + \xi^3)$$

$$a = \frac{E_2'}{E_1'} = \frac{I_1}{I_2}\,\left[\left(\frac{P_1}{P_{12}}\right)^2 - 1\right]$$

$$\frac{I_1}{I_2} = \frac{1}{3(\xi + \xi^2)}$$

$$\eta_{12} = \frac{P_{12}}{27.3}\,\left[\tau_{12} - \tau_1\,\left(\frac{P_{12}}{P_1}\right)\right]$$

E_1' is obtained from Figure 5-20, which is based on data published by the Union Carbide Company for Hastelloy X (Ref. 28)

$E_2'' = \eta_2 E_2'$
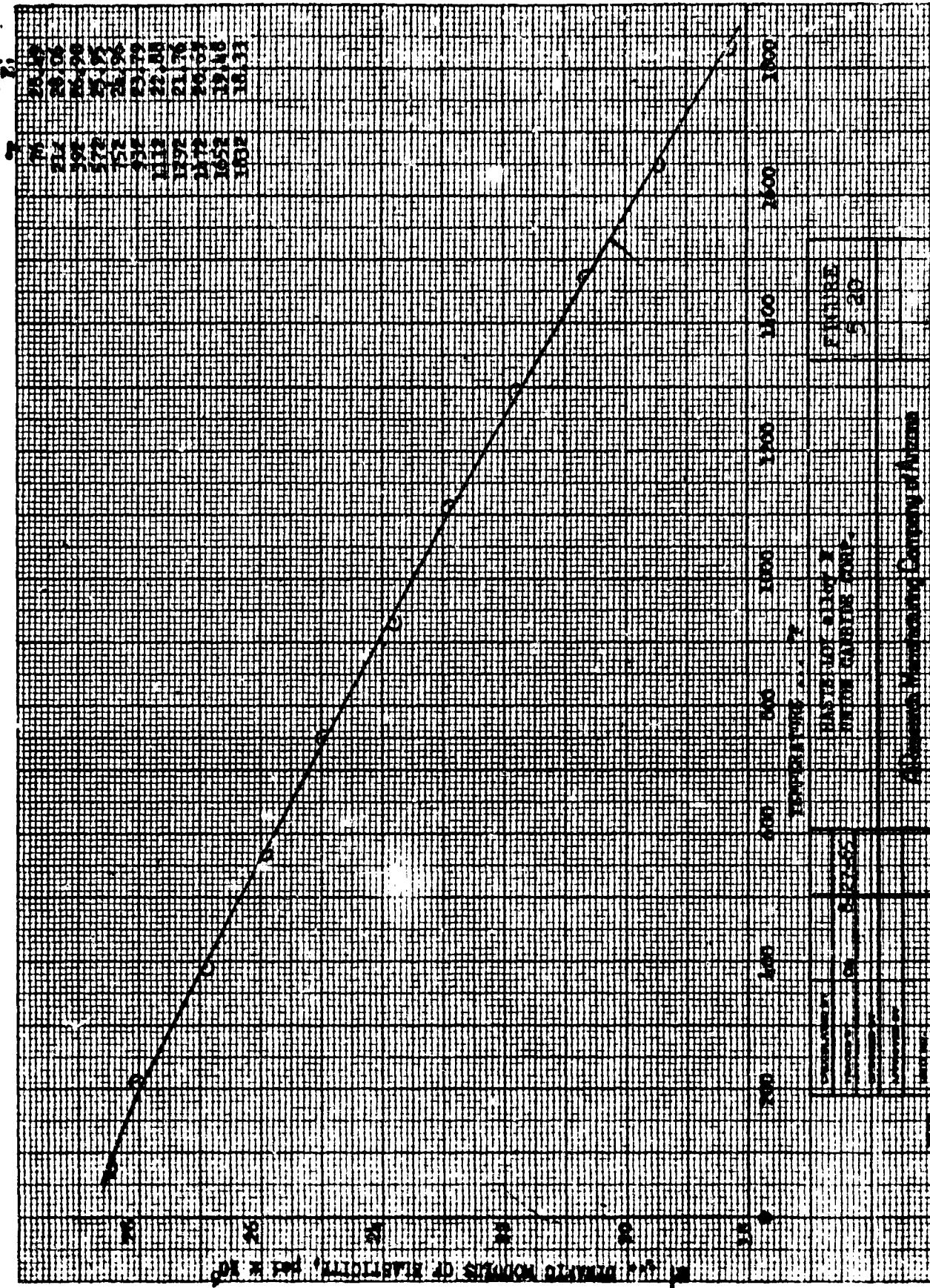
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5.4.4 Error Analysis

5.4.4.1 Oberst's Curves Applied to Double Coatings

Reference 3 shows excellent agreement between Oberst's
theoretical results and his measurements on single-coated
specimens. No significant criticism of his methods was found
in later literature. It was originally planned to use Oberst's
methods for our testing even though double coatings were involved.
Analysis of the error that would be introduced showed that for
$\zeta = 0.1$ the error in η_2 would amount to 4 percent. When it was
decided to recalculate the expression for η_2 for the double-coated
bar this discrepancy disappeared.

5.4.4.2 Pendulum Effect

In any damping test apparatus which mounts a test specimen as
a vertical cantilever beam, an error is introduced by operation in
the fundamental mode. This occurs because the beam stores energy
by acting as a pendulum as well as by storing energy through its
deformation. Calculations later showed that the pendulum effect
in the apparatus was negligible. This point was worthy of consid-
eration because it is a major source of error in some types of
apparatus. For example, in the Bruel and Kjaer complex modulus
apparatus, which incorporates Oberst's basic methods, the first
mode data is rejected because of pendulum error.

5.4.4.3 Decay Rates

The maximum decay rates attained are of the order of 30 db
per second as contrasted to the several hundred db per second
writing-speed capability of the Bruel and Kjaer level recorder
used. The paper drive is by synchronous motor. For such mech-
anically reliable recorders error in decay rates arises from:

(a) Nonlinear pickups
(b) Curve decays due to variation in decay rates as a
     function of strain level.
(c) Irregular decays due to excitation of several closely-
     spaced modes of vibration.

The push-pull optical pickup system used to detect the
vibration was found to be linear for excursions considerably greater
than those used. The decays recorded were in almost every case
free of curvature, due to the low maximum strain level of 150 micro-
inches per inch. No irregularity due to multiple mode excitation
was discernible. As a result, the decay rate observations are
regarded as reliable to at least, two probably three, significant
figures.

5.4.4.4 Period Measurement

Period measurements were made by a period counter with a five-digit
display. Variations in repeated counts, in general occurred in the
fifth place. The drive system was regenerative in character, and
some variation in period count could be introduced by varying the
phase relations in the regenerative circuits. To reduce this
variation the phase was adjusted so that, for undamped specimens
(bare bars), the free decay frequency corresponded to the regenera-
tively driven frequency. As a result, period counts are judged to
be reliable to three, probably four, significant figures.

5.4.4.5 Coating and Bar Thickness

As is commonly the case in this type of testing, the greatest
uncertainty is in coating thickness which arises from numerous
sources. The porcelain enamels have a slight thickening at
the edges due to capillary effects during firing. The tapering
of the test areas to attain uniform strain levels makes accurate
measurement more difficult. The coatings applied by metal spray
are, of necessity, nonuniform in thickness. Finally, thickness
measurements are dependent on the uniformity of the test bars
and the degree of precision with which their dimensions were
cataloged. In retrospect, it is clear that a greater degree of
precision in the grinding of the test bars would have been
desirable. Tolerances no greater than ± 0.0002 inch are desired.
The $\pm.001$ tolerance used is too loose and results in considerable
uncertainty concerning coating thickness. To double-check the
coating and test-bar thicknesses, coatings were stripped at the
center of the test sections to permit another thickness measurement.
These terminal measurements were used in the calculation of ε.

As a consequence, values of ζ and hence η_2 are considered to
be reliable to only one significant figure.

The most troublesome result of variations in the test bars
was its influence on P_1, the natural frequency of the uncoated bar.
Scheduling of the construction of the test hardware precluded any
individual frequency calibration of the test bars. Bars were made
and in many cases coated before the rest of the apparatus was available.
Even a bare bar that is calibrated directly is subject to some un-
certainty, since thermal cycling and sandblasting prior to coating
tend to modify its period slightly.

The difficulty is acute only in those cases in which P_1 and P_{12} come very close together. Thus, the calculation of $a = \frac{E_2'}{E_1'}$ which contains the factor $[(\frac{P_1}{P_{12}})^2 - 1]$ becomes uncertain if a reliable value for P_1 is not available.

To circumvent this difficulty two bare bars were carefully calibrated for P_1 vs temperature. These two calibration curves were very similar in shape but separated by 0.25 cps. Their average was used to establish the shape of the P_1-vs-T curve.

For the vitreous enamels it may be safely assumed that $P_1 = P_{12}$ near the firing temperature, for the coating is essentially liquid and devoid of stiffness. The average P_1-vs-T curve was therefore adjusted vertically until P_{12} asymptotically approached P_1 at the firing temperature. This adjusted P_1 was then read off and used in the calculation of a and n_2.

For the manganese coppers and XAP specimens, P_1 and P_{12} do not approach each other closely in the temperature range of interest. Therefore, the average value of P_1 was used.

5.4.4.6 Inherent Damping

In damping measurements, effort must be used to minimize the inherent damping in the test fixture, as inherent damping sets a lower limit to the values of n_2 that can be measured. Care must be taken to prevent transmission of the test-bar vibration into surrounding structures. For the measurement of internal friction in most structural metals, it is also necessary to operate in a vacuum to avoid the damping due to acoustical radiation and viscous drag.

By providing a massive foundation it was possible to attain decay rates of 0.35 db per second in the open air at room temperature. This corresponds to an apparent η_1 in the Hastelloy X of about 2.5×10^{-4}, which is a factor of 10 larger than might be expected in the metal. With the furnace in place, the decay rate increased to about 0.4 db per second, which indicated that the viscous drag of the air in the slot in the furnace floor was a limiting factor.

As the temperature of the test bars was raised above $1000^\circ F$, an unexpected increase in inherent damping occurred. This was apparently due to an anelastic resonance in the Hastelloy X. The increase was variable, with thermal cycling, from bar to bar. The value of τ_1 used in data reduction is an average of several such observations. The correction term $\frac{P_{12}}{P_1}$, applied to τ_1, is nearly unity and is included to illustrate its use in cases where it might become significant.

5.4.4.7 Error Review

The values for η_2, E_2', and, hence, E_2'' are believed to be reliable to one significant figure. Doubts about the second significant figure are due mainly to inaccuracies in the grinding of the test bars leading to uncertainty in the values of ξ and P_1.

Those wishing to duplicate the tests in this report are admonished to grind the test bars to a precision of at least ± 0.0002 inch and to determine P_1 at several temperatures for each test bar, if possible.

5.5 Test Results

5.5.1 Introduction

Much of the data available on vibration damping coatings was developed from apparatus and procedures designed to find comparative performance rather than material properties. If a description of the apparatus and test procedure are available, it is possible to compute material properties. This can be both laborious and uncertain unless the apparatus is designed specifically to facilitate precise calculations.

The specific objective the test program was to obtain data representing fundamental damping properties, the complex moduli; specific damping was also obtained, since it was more applicable to the materials, under consideration. This objective influenced design of the test apparatus and the data processing methods.

The data obtained from the test apparatus is presented in five phases. Graphs 5-2 through 5-14 present observations made of decay rates, as a function of corrected temperature, and the adjusted curve for period vs corrected temperatures used in subsequent data reduction. This data can serve as figures of merit for the stated coating thickness and frequency, especially if a rough compensation is made for the effects of inherent damping wherever the total decay rates approach those of the bare bar.

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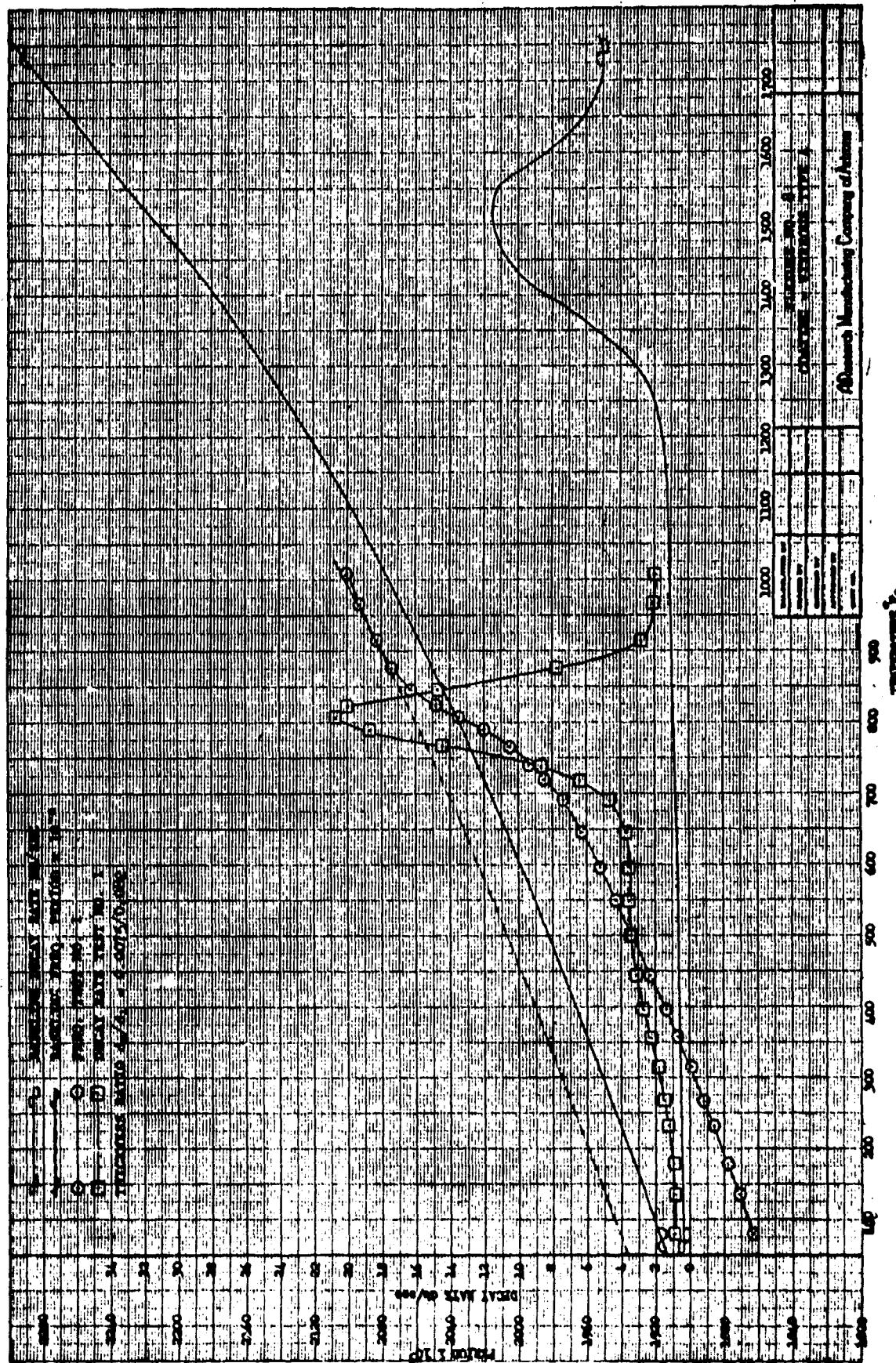
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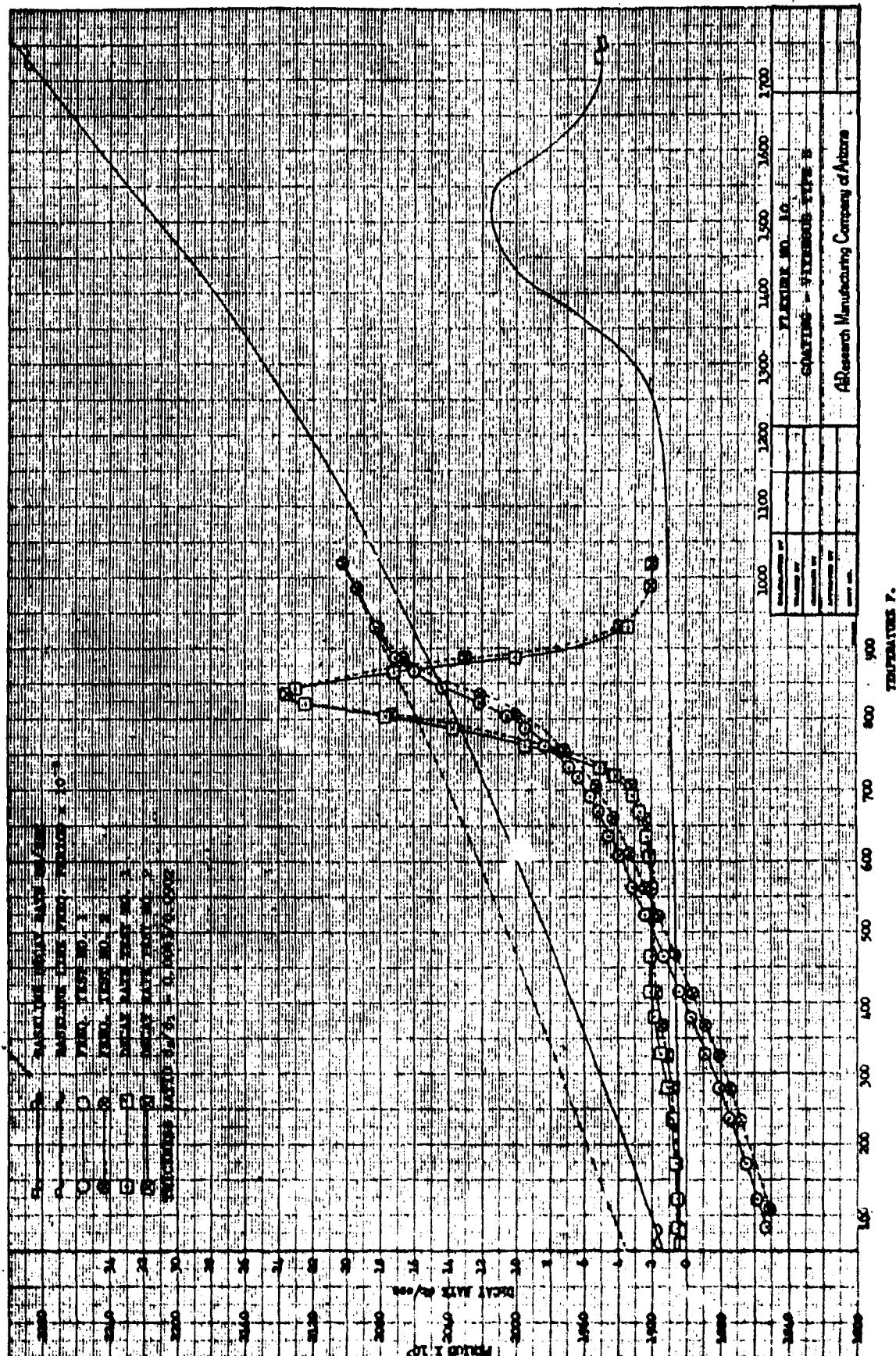
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GRAPH 5-5

GRAPH 5-6

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GRAPH 5-13

GRAPH 5-14

BASELINE DECAY RATE DB/SEC

BASELINE FREQ. PERIOD X 10⁻⁵

FREQ. TEST NO. 2

FREQ. TEST NO. 2

THICKNESS RATIO d_2/d_1 = .0204/.0877

PERIOD X 10⁻⁵

DECAY RATE DB/SEC

FLEXURE NO. 27
COATING + MYSTIK TAPE NO. 7402

TEMPERATURE °F

Figures 5-21 through 5-25 present samples of original decay
rate recordings to illustrate their straightness or curvature.
An essentially straight decay from the logarithmic level recorder
indicates that the damping is independent of the strain level
up to the maximum strain used (about 150 microinches per inch). '
Straight decays indicate quadratic damping such as is a result
of viscoelastic and anelastic processes. The majority of decays
recorded were straight; some tendency to deviate from straight-
line decay was noted in manganese copper recordings. Also, some
nonlinearity occurred in the case of the aluminum-foil silicone-
adhesive constrained-layer damping test used to exemplify good
organic damping treatment.

The important results of the test program are presented first
in Figures 5-26 through 5-43, which are the printout sheets for the
digital computer program, used to compute material parameters.
These show both the inputs, as read from graphs 5-2 through 5-14,
and the final computed data. Graphs 5-16 through 5-27 present the
final data as $E_2^!$, $E_2^{!!}$, and η_2. This contains a redundancy, since
only two of the three are strictly necessary to completely define
the complex modulus. However, for different purposes, different
pairs are most convenient, and the computer was available to spare
the reader the task of computing the third. Not shown on these
graphs, but appearing in the computer sheets, is the absolute value
of E^*. The phenomenological discussion of the test results centers
mainly on the discussion of the variation of $E_2^!$, $E_2^{!!}$ and η_2 with
temperature and choice of coating. Finally, certain comparisons
among the test results are made, and comparison with the data
of other observers is attempted where possible, Graphs 5-21 shows
the $E_2^{!!}$ for the four vitreous enamels plotted against percentages

Flexure #27   Decay Slopes
Mystik Tape #7402

← 30 mv

5 db

Temp. = 76 °F
rec Speed = 10 mm/sec

Flexure #27   Decay Slopes
Mystik Tape # 7402

← 30 mv

5 db

Temp = 111 °F
Paper Speed = 10 mm/sec

Flexure #27   Decay Slopes
Mystik Tape #7402

← 30 mv

5 db

Temp = 318 °F
Paper Speed = 1 mm/sec
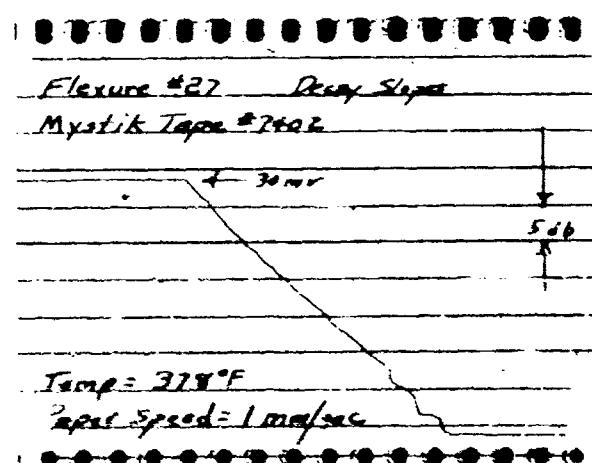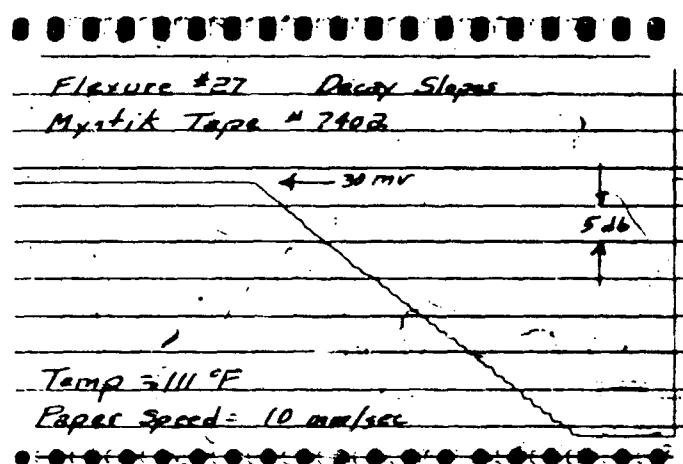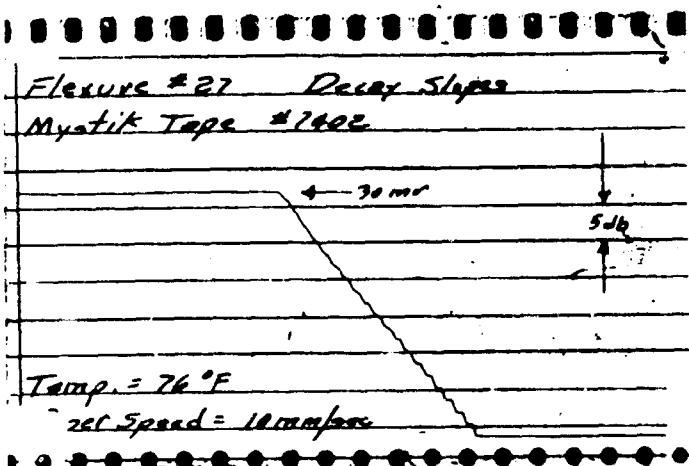
FIGURE 5-21

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Flexure #11   Decay Slope
Type B# Vitreous Coating

30 mv

5 db

Temp = 80°F
Paper Speed = 1 mm/sec

Flexure #11   Decay Slope
Type Bb Vitreous Coating

30 mv

5 db

Temp = 155°F
Paper Speed = 1.1 m/sec

Flexure #11   Decay Slope
Type Bb Vitreous Coating

30 mv

5 db

Temp = 1016°F
Paper speed = 10 mm/sec
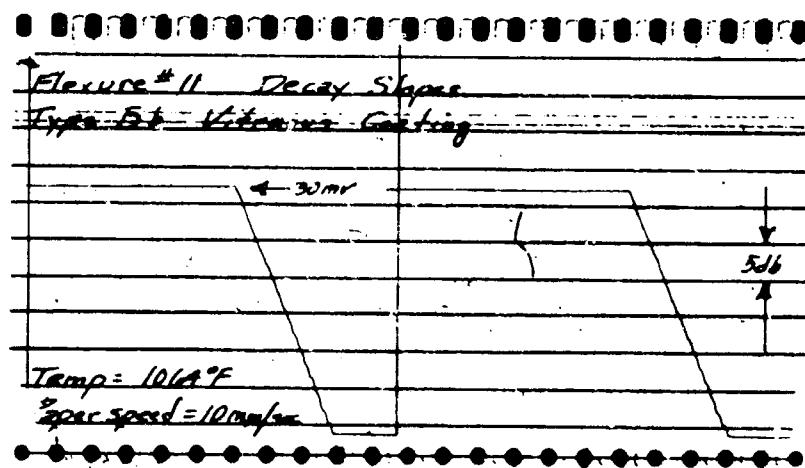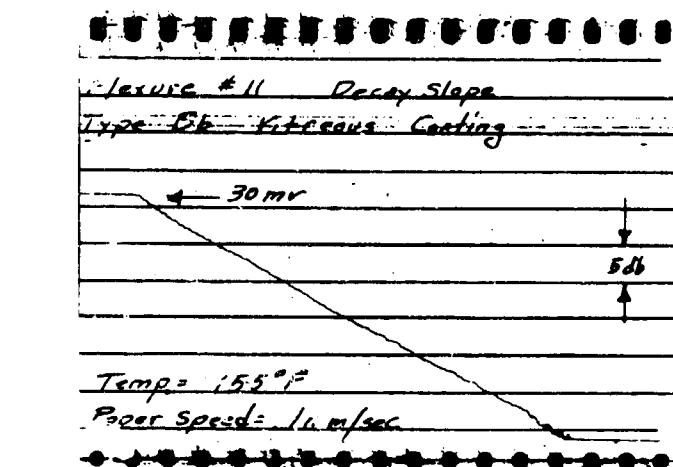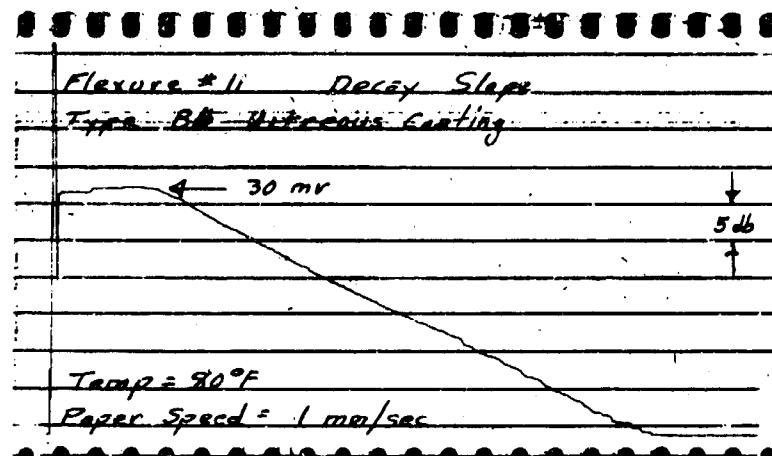
FIGURE 5-22

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Flexure #22   Decay Slopes
Al. Alloy   XAP 001

← 30 mv

5db
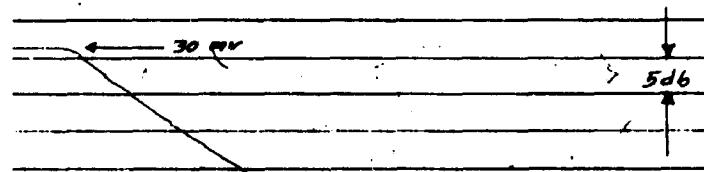
Temp = 78°F
Paper Speed = 1 mm/sec

Flexure #22   Decay Slopes
Al. Alloy   XAP 001

30 mv

5db
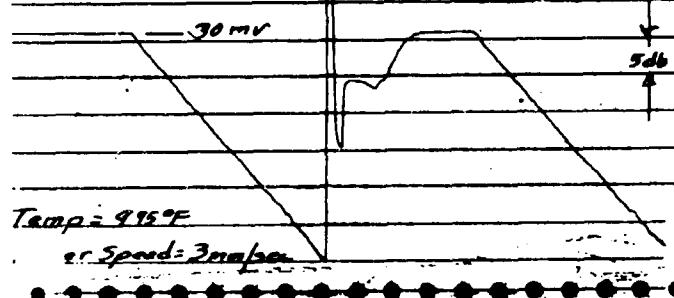
Temp = 995°F
Paper Speed = 3 mm/sec

Flexure #22   Decay Slopes
Al. Alloy   XAP 001

30 mv

5db
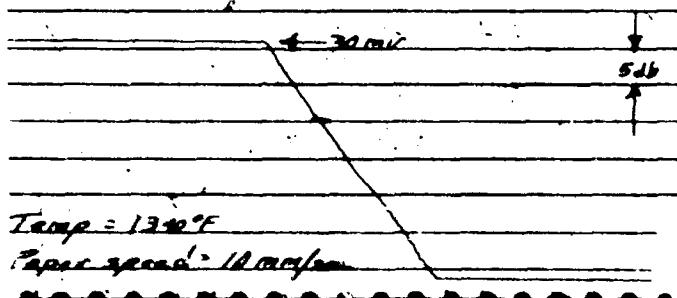
Temp = 1340°F
Paper speed = 10 mm/sec

FIGURE 5-23

Flexure #18
MnCu 280

30mv

5db

Temp= 180°F
Paper Speed= 1 mm/sec

Flexure #18
MnCu #280

30mv

5db

Temp= 1033°F
Paper Speed= 10 mm/sec

Flexure #18
MnCu #280

30mv

5db

Temp= 1712°F
Paper Speed= 30 mm/sec
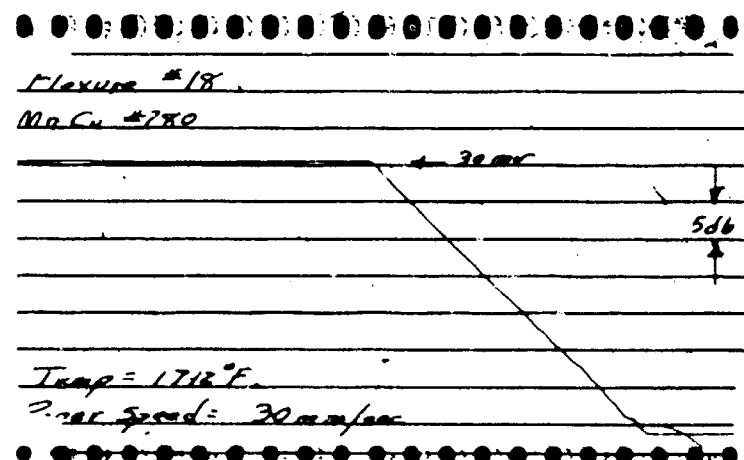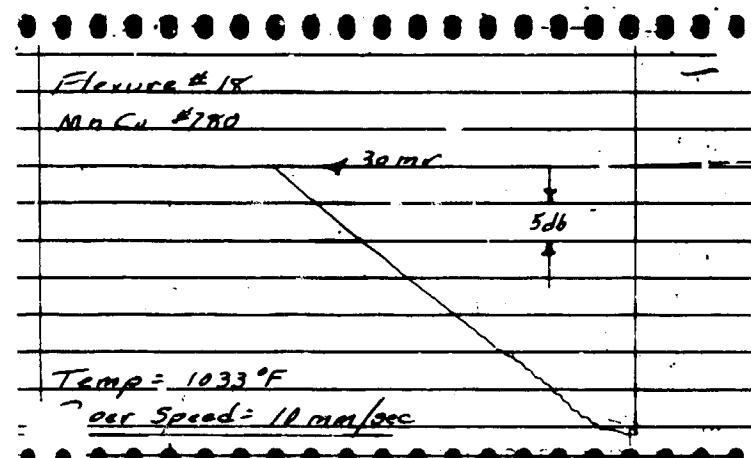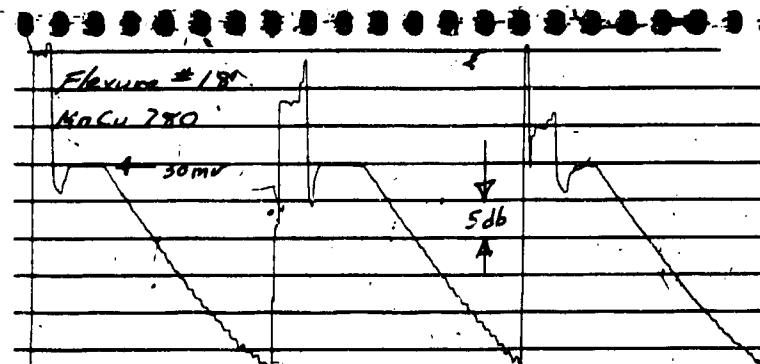
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FIGURE 5-25

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HIGH TEMPERATURE COATING TEST PROGRAM

FIXTURE NO. 6   COATING TYPE VITREOUS TYPE A

TEST ID. 1
THICKNESS RATIO = 0.0351

T	P-12	P-1	T-1	T-12	F1-3	ETA-2	E-22	E-2PP	*E+2
100.000000	0.018640	0.019440	0.400000	0.900000	28.430000	0.004475	9.665223	0.038787	8.465315
200.000000	0.018555	0.019555	0.450000	1.100000	28.000000	0.005287	8.456485	0.049785	8.456632
300.000000	0.018975	0.019757	0.550000	1.750000	27.450000	0.011012	8.165322	0.089918	8.165817
400.000000	0.019150	0.019910	0.600000	2.700000	26.490000	0.019944	7.764955	0.154085	7.766484
500.000000	0.019340	0.020071	0.650000	3.400000	26.340000	0.027453	7.229921	0.198485	7.232645
550.000000	0.019440	0.020150	0.675000	3.550000	26.030000	0.029335	7.017329	0.205861	7.020348
600.000000	0.019515	0.020235	0.700000	3.450000	25.770000	0.028927	5.759296	0.195527	6.762123
650.000000	0.019615	0.020325	0.750000	3.800000	25.500000	0.033071	6.508102	0.215229	6.511560
700.000000	0.019770	0.020410	0.800000	5.200000	25.450000	0.051901	5.921382	0.306733	5.929321
725.000000	0.019840	0.020450	0.825000	7.200000	25.220000	0.080381	5.489619	0.441261	5.507325
750.000000	0.019945	0.020505	0.850000	10.500000	25.080000	0.135303	4.877666	0.652386	4.922436
775.000000	0.020100	0.020520	0.875000	16.600000	24.930000	0.254195	4.050524	1.070133	4.189502
810.000000	0.020370	0.020550	0.910000	20.700000	24.790000	0.611565	2.166303	1.325054	2.539417
825.000000	0.020475	0.020700	0.925000	19.600000	24.590000	0.935582	1.327457	1.242078	1.617938
850.000000	0.020635	0.020755	0.950000	19.590000	24.350000	1.509300	0.543306	0.827832	0.992947
875.000000	0.020740	0.020803	0.975000	8.100000	24.220000	3.738082	0.135068	0.457513	0.483953
900.000000	0.020765	0.020940	1.000000	4.000000	24.670000	2.372713	0.082633	0.196064	0.212766
925.000000	0.020850	0.020940	1.025000	2.400000	23.930000	1.093457	0.091935	0.090594	0.121410
950.000000	0.020805	0.020910	1.050000	2.150000	23.780000	0.584104	0.121884	0.071437	0.141276
975.000000	0.020340	0.020365	1.075000	2.000000	23.640000	0.297412	0.201559	0.059946	0.210284
1000.000000	0.020000	0.021713	1.100000	1.050000	23.500000	0.136249	0.260043	0.054958	0.285384

FIGURE 5-26

HIGH TEMPERATURE BEARING TEST PROGRAM

SAMPLE NO. 10 COATING TYPE VITREOUS TYPE B

THICKNESS TEST NO. 1

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.04345

T	D-12	D-1	T-1	T-12	E1-2	ETA-2	E-2D	E-2PP	*E+2
100.000000	0.018250	0.019435	0.400000	0.550000	28.450000	0.001204	19.498061	0.025026	19.498078
200.000000	0.018625	0.019565	0.450000	0.750000	28.000000	0.002443	19.378243	0.047337	19.378300
300.000000	0.018655	0.019735	0.500000	1.300000	27.450000	0.006365	18.842774	0.119940	18.843156
400.000000	0.018010	0.019990	0.600000	2.000000	26.890000	0.011473	17.862362	0.204937	17.863538
450.000000	0.019010	0.019770	0.625000	2.100000	26.620000	0.012324	17.399853	0.214429	17.401174
500.000000	0.019190	0.020050	0.650000	2.050000	26.340000	0.011949	16.933037	0.202338	16.934246
550.000000	0.019290	0.020135	0.675000	2.000000	26.050000	0.011530	16.361129	0.190282	16.362236
600.000000	0.019370	0.020215	0.700000	2.100000	25.770000	0.012382	16.116997	0.199554	16.118232
650.000000	0.019470	0.020305	0.750000	2.450000	25.500000	0.015315	15.672795	0.240023	15.674636
700.000000	0.019545	0.020395	0.800000	3.400000	25.220000	0.024235	14.937136	0.362020	14.941522
725.000000	0.019660	0.020435	0.825000	4.600000	25.080000	0.036314	14.144709	0.520726	14.154291
750.000000	0.019755	0.020485	0.850000	7.550000	24.930000	0.059530	13.164084	0.915301	13.195866
775.000000	0.019670	0.020535	0.875000	11.550000	24.790000	0.122185	11.835296	1.446100	11.923315
800.000000	0.020015	0.020580	0.900000	17.000000	24.640000	0.218165	9.896739	2.159117	10.129522
825.000000	0.020230	0.020630	0.925000	23.100000	24.500000	0.427970	6.863952	2.937564	7.466132
835.000000	0.020325	0.020545	0.935000	23.400000	24.440000	0.543740	5.441237	2.958617	6.193583
950.000000	0.020445	0.020680	0.950000	21.400000	24.350000	0.517362	3.267619	2.670828	4.220267
975.000000	0.020640	0.020735	0.975000	14.200000	24.220000	1.395461	1.235846	1.712216	2.116634
900.000000	0.020755	0.020780	1.000000	6.700000	24.070000	1.801267	0.407030	0.733170	0.838577
925.000000	0.020820	0.020830	1.025000	3.800000	23.930000	2.203515	0.161301	0.355446	0.390333

FIGURE 5-27

FLEXURE NO. 1? COATING TYPE VITREOUS TYPE B

TEST NO. 11

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.04565

T	D-12	D-1	T-1	T-12	E1-3	ETA-2	E-2?	E-2PP	+E+2
125.000000		0.012470	0.412500	0.500000	28.350000	0.000773	20.689751	0.015999	20.689757
200.000000		0.013545	0.450000	0.600000	28.600000	0.001234	20.537857	0.025433	20.537872
300.000000		0.013775	0.500000	1.000000	27.450000	0.003737	20.196160	0.076675	20.196305
400.000000		0.013970	0.600000	1.600000	26.690000	0.007543	19.281320	0.148262	19.281890
450.000000		0.019970	0.625000	1.800000	26.420000	0.009124	18.904471	0.172553	18.905258
500.000000		0.020055	0.650000	1.850000	26.340000	0.009502	18.412727	0.174958	18.413558
550.000000		0.020135	0.675000	1.900000	26.050000	0.009499	17.919477	0.170208	17.919286
600.000000		0.020215	0.700000	2.250000	25.770000	0.009303	17.445151	0.172524	17.446004
650.000000		0.020365	0.750000	3.000000	25.500000	0.012495	17.079380	0.213415	17.080713
700.000000		0.020495	0.800000	4.100000	25.220000	0.018306	16.316010	0.308479	16.318926
725.000000		0.020485	0.825000	6.500000	25.080000	0.029301	15.505590	0.454329	15.512245
750.000000		0.020535	0.850000	10.500000	24.930000	0.053142	14.600151	0.775876	14.620752
775.000000		0.020560	0.875000	15.400000	24.790000	0.038199	13.340041	1.309979	13.404206
800.000000		0.020545	0.900000	23.000000	24.440000	0.157374	11.644010	1.954721	11.806943
825.000000		0.020560	0.925000	23.500000	24.500000	0.323572	9.093405	2.943279	9.557872
850.000000		0.020735	0.935000	21.800000	24.440000	0.374507	7.992444	2.994029	8.534833
875.000000		0.020780	0.950000	16.400000	24.350000	0.331444	7.152420	2.738430	5.834931
900.000000		0.020930	0.975000	8.000000	24.220000	0.908187	5.234256	2.029122	3.018151
925.000000		0.020875	1.000000	4.600000	24.070000	0.921110	2.979349	0.902089	1.331499
950.000000		0.020930	1.025000	3.000000	23.930000	0.419245	0.322835	0.458182	0.560494
975.000000		0.020950	1.050000	2.300000	23.780000	1.555311	0.159244	0.248763	0.295746
1000.000000			1.075000	2.000000	23.640000	0.992367	0.158585	0.155789	0.222304
			1.100000		23.500000	1.450373	0.078607	0.114009	0.138481

FIGURE 5-28

FIGURE NO. 11 COATING TYPE VITREOUS TYPE 34

TEST NO. 11

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.10000

T	0-12	0-1	T-1	T-12	E1-0	ETA-2	E-20	E-2PP	*E+2
100.000000	0.015700	0.019535	0.400000	0.450000	28.450000	0.000549	7.156055	0.003918	7.156056
200.000000	0.017935	0.019690	0.450000	0.500000	28.000000	0.000563	7.162466	0.004031	7.162467
300.000000	0.018380	0.019843	0.550000	0.600000	27.450000	0.000501	7.050250	0.004238	7.050251
400.000000	0.019125	0.019995	0.600000	0.700000	26.890000	0.001137	6.890829	0.007128	6.890833
500.000000	0.018260	0.020155	0.650000	0.750000	26.340000	0.001263	6.736257	0.007158	6.736260
600.000000	0.018440	0.020320	0.700000	0.800000	25.770000	0.001092	6.573217	0.007175	6.573221
650.000000	0.018575	0.020405	0.750000	1.000000	25.500000	0.002385	6.475407	0.015444	6.475426
700.000000	0.018610	0.020495	0.800000	1.200000	25.220000	0.003582	6.412963	0.023613	6.413006
750.000000	0.018675	0.020590	0.850000	1.300000	24.930000	0.004161	6.307985	0.026249	6.308042
800.000000	0.018705	0.020690	0.900000	1.500000	24.640000	0.005340	6.168229	0.034170	6.168324
825.000000	0.018840	0.020735	0.925000	1.600000	24.500000	0.006131	6.227179	0.038188	6.227296
850.000000	0.018900	0.020780	0.950000	1.700000	24.350000	0.006550	6.137911	0.042044	6.138055
875.000000	0.018960	0.020930	0.975000	2.000000	24.220000	0.009495	5.943647	0.056439	5.943915
900.000000	0.019060	0.020980	1.025000	2.235000	24.070000	0.011302	5.963987	0.067405	5.964368
925.000000	0.020070	0.020925	1.025000	2.900000	23.930000	0.017346	5.736830	0.100661	5.737713
950.000000	0.020150	0.020980	1.050000	4.000000	23.780000	0.028375	5.505401	0.156306	5.510618
975.000000	0.020240	0.021030	1.075000	5.450000	23.640000	0.044259	5.183404	0.229410	5.188478
1000.000000	0.020355	0.021085	1.100000	9.300000	23.500000	0.089969	4.727105	0.425294	4.746198
1025.000000	0.020500	0.021140	1.125000	14.300000	23.350000	0.155777	4.079405	0.676272	4.135081
1050.000000	0.020685	0.021195	1.150000	21.200000	23.200000	0.318374	3.190662	1.017420	3.348950
1075.000000	0.020900	0.021255	1.175000	23.600000	23.070000	0.516242	2.177507	1.125644	2.451247
1100.000000	0.020940	0.021265	1.160000	23.800000	23.030000	0.608565	1.859978	1.132106	2.177426
1125.000000	0.021160	0.021315	1.250000	20.000000	22.920000	1.036035	0.898216	0.930584	1.293359
1150.000000	0.021290	0.021375	1.250000	12.800000	22.770000	1.131267	0.501914	0.567799	0.757835
1175.000000	0.021395	0.021440	1.300000	6.800000	22.620000	1.024760	0.262426	0.268923	0.375748
1200.000000	0.021480	0.021500	1.400000	4.200000	22.470000	1.191040	0.115334	0.136214	0.178483
1225.000000	0.021620	0.021565	1.550000	3.500000	22.320000	1.103543	0.085634	0.094501	0.127529
1250.000000	0.021690	0.021525	1.750000	3.700000	22.170000	2.957363	0.028254	0.094406	0.089010
		0.021700	2.000000		22.010000	1.461375	0.055926	0.051730	0.099033

FIGURE 5-29

FLEXURE [illegible] COATING TYPE [illegible] VITREOUS TYPE [illegible]

TEST NO. 1   THICKNESS RATIO = 0.1399

T	2-12	2-1	T-1	T-12	E1-5	ETA-2	E-2P	E-2PP	+E+2
100.000000	0.018430	0.019535	0.400000	0.550000	28.430000	0.001595	5.979061	0.009536	5.979068
200.000000	0.018470	0.019590	0.450000	0.600000	28.000000	0.001505	5.966845	0.009581	5.966852
300.000000	0.019210	0.019345	0.550000	0.700000	27.450000	0.001535	5.929233	0.009694	5.929241
400.000000	0.019260	0.019905	0.600000	0.800000	26.890000	0.002144	5.760047	0.012462	5.760061
500.000000	0.019540	0.020155	0.650000	0.850000	26.340000	0.002198	5.677526	0.012422	5.677540
600.000000	0.019860	0.020320	0.700000	1.050000	25.770000	0.003754	5.467901	0.020525	5.467940
650.000000	0.020750	0.020405	0.750000	1.200000	25.500000	0.004473	5.425273	0.025931	5.425335
700.000000	0.020635	0.020580	0.800000	1.400000	25.220000	0.006355	5.340797	0.033939	5.340905
800.000000	0.020310	0.020580	0.850000	1.600000	24.930000	0.007369	5.328217	0.041867	5.328381
825.000000	0.019920	0.020735	0.900000	1.800000	24.640000	0.009265	5.352233	0.049696	5.352463
850.000000	0.019920	0.020780	0.925000	2.000000	24.500000	0.010384	5.416407	0.058951	5.416728
900.000000	0.020735	0.020925	0.950000	2.200000	24.350000	0.012584	5.407147	0.058044	5.407575
925.000000	0.021030	0.021045	0.975000	2.400000	24.220000	0.014242	5.400589	0.077144	5.401139
950.000000	0.021140	0.021140	1.025000	2.750000	24.070000	0.017122	5.496462	0.094113	5.497268
975.000000	0.021195	0.021195	1.050000	3.400000	23.930000	0.023350	5.345657	0.126427	5.347152
1000.000000	0.021255	0.021255	1.075000	4.900000	23.780000	0.039315	5.087316	0.202567	5.091348
1025.000000	0.021315	0.021315	1.100000	7.600000	23.640000	0.072294	4.699564	0.339749	4.721829
1050.000000	0.021375	0.021375	1.125000	11.600000	23.500000	0.130394	4.217980	0.552108	4.253960
1075.000000	0.021440	0.021440	1.150000	17.400000	23.350000	0.232220	3.581582	0.831717	3.676885
1100.000000	0.021500	0.021500	1.160000	22.800000	23.200000	0.413040	2.642519	1.093740	2.859926
1125.000000			1.175000	25.600000	23.120000	0.544053	2.089780	1.136961	2.379046
1150.000000			1.200000	22.900000	22.920000	0.758472	1.429094	1.083938	1.793664
1175.000000			1.250000	16.200000	22.770000	1.241292	0.596693	0.740670	0.951123
			1.280000	10.500000	22.620000	1.712557	0.264972	0.453806	0.525499
			1.300000	6.700000	22.470000	2.054350	0.116429	0.239245	0.260071
			1.400000	4.200000		-4.724121	-0.029783	0.135976	0.138989

FIGURE 5-30

HIGH TEMPERATURE EMISSION BARRIER TEST PROGRAM

FIXTURE NO. 12 COATING TYPE VITREOUS TYPE C   TEST NO. 1

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.84345

T	P-12	P-1	T-1	T-12	E1-2	ETA-2 (C)	E-2P △	E-2PP □	*E+2
780.000000	0.019870	0.020390	0.800000	0.900000	25.220000	0.001739	9.381409	0.016316	9.381423
750.000000	0.019940	0.020445	0.850000	1.100000	24.930000	0.003925	9.321095	0.036582	9.321167
800.000000	0.020045	0.020500	0.900000	1.300000	24.640000	0.005953	9.527236	0.056720	9.527405
850.000000	0.020175	0.020575	0.950000	1.300000	24.350000	0.005265	9.464369	0.049843	9.464900
900.000000	0.020270	0.020775	1.000000	2.000000	24.070000	0.013321	9.749936	0.135729	9.750680
950.000000	0.020360	0.020875	1.050000	2.700000	23.750000	0.021829	10.106910	0.220618	10.109317
1000.000000	0.020440	0.020980	1.100000	2.550000	23.500000	0.018975	10.193330	0.193423	10.195165
1050.000000	0.020570	0.021090	1.150000	2.200000	23.200000	0.013900	10.177237	0.140448	10.178206
1100.000000	0.020660	0.021205	1.200000	2.100000	22.920000	0.011945	10.084401	0.120424	10.081120
1150.000000	0.020820	0.021325	1.300000	2.250000	22.620000	0.012764	9.889886	0.126238	9.890692
1200.000000	0.020920	0.021450	1.550000	3.000000	22.320000	0.019594	9.619381	0.189440	9.621246
1250.000000	0.021070	0.021580	2.000000	5.100000	22.010000	0.044198	9.957845	0.395921	9.966590
1275.000000	0.021120	0.021550	2.450000	7.300000	21.860000	0.071724	8.558978	0.613888	8.580965
1300.000000	0.021290	0.021720	3.100000	10.600000	21.700000	0.126554	9.012690	0.965966	8.070706
1325.000000	0.021390	0.021790	4.100000	15.200000	21.550000	0.192303	7.184280	1.381594	7.315920
1350.000000	0.021700	0.021865	5.350000	21.200000	21.390000	0.317755	6.150805	1.954451	6.453858
1375.000000	0.021790	0.021935	4.750000	24.450000	21.240000	0.450921	4.800082	2.164460	5.265518
1400.000000	0.021860	0.022010	8.350000	25.100000	21.070000	0.645590	3.138291	2.026362	3.735641
1425.000000	0.022000	0.022090	9.700000	22.500000	20.920000	0.850709	1.742721	1.534828	2.322234
1450.000000	0.022095	0.022170	10.650000	16.750000	20.770000	0.974249	0.998859	0.965342	1.383361
1475.000000	0.022215	0.022255	11.150000	16.600000	20.600000	1.238561	0.520867	0.645150	0.829181
1500.000000	0.022330	0.022345	11.450000	15.080000	20.450000	2.166771	0.192803	0.417760	0.460104
1525.000000	0.022470	0.022430	11.500000	13.900000	20.290000	2.214223	0.127003	0.281214	0.308563
1550.000000	0.022505	0.022515	11.200000	12.600000	20.140000	1.303279	0.125588	0.163676	0.206306
1575.000000	0.022595	0.022605	9.900000	11.200000	19.990000	1.313164	0.124156	0.202358	0.204929
1600.000000	0.022685	0.022690	8.350000	10.100000	19.820000	3.301164	0.061299	0.207240	0.211439
1625.000000	0.022775	0.022780	7.100000	8.900000	19.660000	3.421940	0.060564	0.171977	0.215909
1650.000000	0.022865	0.022870	6.150000	7.650000	19.500000	2.974193	0.059635	0.125570	0.182088
1675.000000	0.022950	0.022955	5.500000	6.650000	19.340000	2.123562	0.059124	0.136211	0.138793
1700.000000	0.023030	0.023033	5.100000	6.300000	19.180000	4.562529	0.029214	0.136211	0.139306
1720.000000	0.023110	0.023102	5.000000	6.600000	19.040000	5.253783	0.028913	0.180614	0.185111

FIGURE 5-31

HIGH TEMPERATURE ... ... PROGRAM

FLEXURE NO. 22 STATIC ... TYPE MATERIAL TYPE 0

TEST NO. 11
THICKNESS RATIO = 0.04545

T	Z-12	Z-1	T-1	T-12	E1-?	ETA-2	E-2	E-2PP	+E+2
975.000000	0.01367	0.020725	0.975000	0.975000	24.720060	0.000363	13.825544	0.005014	13.825545
900.000000	0.01397	0.020775	1.000000	1.000000	24.070900	0.000373	13.796271	0.005143	13.796272
950.000000	0.02007	0.020975	1.050000	1.100000	23.750000	0.000879	13.650717	0.011999	13.650722
1000.000000	0.03014	0.021040	1.100000	1.200000	23.500000	0.001402	13.330372	0.018685	13.330085
1050.000000	0.04205	0.021100	1.150000	1.300000	23.200000	0.001942	13.000545	0.025247	13.000569
1100.000000	0.04147	0.021325	1.200000	1.450000	22.620000	0.003172	12.599945	0.038161	12.600002
1150.000000	0.04690	0.021456	1.300000	1.650000	22.320000	0.004145	12.194596	0.051066	12.194693
1200.000000	0.04650	0.021543	1.550000	2.500000	22.010000	0.010935	11.714478	0.128095	11.715178
1250.000000	0.04655	0.021550	2.000000	4.600000	21.860000	0.030923	10.922032	0.336650	10.927219
1300.000000	0.04165	0.021720	2.450000	7.000000	21.700000	0.055604	10.419127	0.581434	10.435338
1325.000000	0.04165	0.021790	3.100000	10.800000	21.530000	0.095542	9.767929	0.973298	9.816300
1350.000000	0.04165	0.021855	4.100000	15.200000	21.380000	0.157503	8.833446	1.391346	8.942389
1375.000000	0.04165	0.022055	5.750000	24.200000	21.240000	0.253308	7.766124	1.967861	8.011564
1400.000000	0.02105	0.022098	4.350000	24.450000	21.070000	0.337953	6.451749	2.180390	6.810224
1425.000000	0.02105	0.022170	9.700000	25.100000	20.920000	0.426039	5.027103	2.045219	5.427217
1450.000000	0.02205	0.022265	16.650000	22.500000	20.770000	0.432569	3.585531	1.551454	3.906795
1475.000000	0.02205	0.022345	16.150000	18.750000	20.450000	0.366173	2.529921	0.976988	2.7712012
1525.000000	0.02205	0.022430	11.450000	16.600000	20.290000	0.312197	2.100557	0.655788	2.200544
1550.000000	0.02235	0.022515	11.500000	15.000000	20.140000	0.253469	1.683956	0.426880	1.737221
1575.000000	0.02245	0.022505	9.900000	13.900000	19.590000	0.225219	1.277722	0.287765	1.309726
1600.000000	0.02295	0.022535	8.350000	12.600000	19.820000	0.193865	0.882645	0.167601	0.898417
				11.300000		0.241367	0.684064	0.155656	0.704653
				10.100000		0.415359	0.491530	0.204162	0.532244

FIGURE 5-32

FLEXURE NO. 22 COATING ... ALLOY 245526 (VAPOR) TEST NO. 1
THICKNESS RATIO = 0.03537

T	E-2-2	E-1	T-1	T-12	E1-P	ETA-P	E-2P	E-2PP	*E+2
78.000000	0.018744	0.019173	0.000000	0.570000	28.455070	0.004319	11.523731	0.049769	11.523039
100.000000	0.018730	0.018210	0.400000	0.700000	28.450700	0.004709	11.480738	0.035141	11.480871
200.000000	0.018970	0.016755	0.450000	0.750000	28.000000	0.024934	11.35537	0.054889	11.355509
300.000000	0.019250	0.018510	0.550000	1.000000	27.450700	0.027491	10.77952	0.080747	10.778826
400.000000	0.019425	0.019555	0.000000	1.350000	26.850000	0.013174	9.965740	0.131294	9.965604
500.000000	0.019735	0.018925	0.450000	1.750000	26.540000	0.019419	9.555968	0.189390	9.557844
600.000000	0.019793	0.019390	0.700000	1.980000	25.770000	0.024027	9.030955	0.216990	9.033562
700.000000	0.019943	0.020165	0.800000	2.260000	25.020000	0.029237	8.343534	0.243942	8.347095
800.000000	0.020150	0.020350	0.000000	2.600000	24.640000	0.033752	8.298798	0.280101	8.303524
800.000000	0.020172	0.020350	1.000000	2.980000	24.070000	0.039047	8.241919	0.321823	8.248200
895.000000	0.024172	0.020742	1.080000	3.320000	23.530000	0.047461	7.520165	0.358420	7.528703

FIGURE 5-33

FLEXURE NO. 28 COATING TYPE 4 ... BY 291526 (XAP601)   TEST NO. 2

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.23537

T	P-12	P-1	A	T-12	E1-2	ETA-2	E-22	E-2PP	*E+2
80.000000	0.014560	0.017178	0.400000	0.590000	28.460000	0.002125	13.136950	0.035817	13.137009
100.000000	0.014715	0.017210	0.400000	0.590000	28.450000	0.002598	13.295807	0.035874	13.295855
200.000000	0.015040	0.017455	0.450000	0.810000	28.000000	0.004244	12.983597	0.054189	12.983755
300.000000	0.015010	0.017910	0.550000	1.000000	27.450000	0.005314	12.756035	0.081437	12.756295
400.000000	0.015015	0.017655	0.600000	1.300000	26.880000	0.010263	12.009351	0.123617	12.009987
500.000000	0.016315	0.017990	0.650000	1.560000	26.340000	0.013565	11.663369	0.158230	11.664442
600.000000	0.018220	0.018990	0.700000	1.750000	25.770000	0.016402	10.950677	0.179615	10.952150
700.000000	0.019715	0.020165	0.800000	2.000000	25.220000	0.019219	10.153142	0.202245	10.155157
800.000000	0.019710	0.020350	0.900000	2.350000	24.640000	0.025566	9.420509	0.240278	9.423572
900.000000	0.020125	0.020550	1.000000	2.730000	24.070000	0.031474	8.957815	0.295523	8.962365
1000.000000	0.020340	0.020755	1.100000	3.180000	23.500000	0.043758	7.609951	0.332095	7.617263
1100.000000	0.020655	0.020975	1.200000	4.180000	22.920000	0.090440	5.642897	0.453913	5.661124
1200.000000	0.021000	0.021225	1.550000	6.200000	22.320000	0.232119	3.051463	0.710624	3.142856
1300.000000	0.021310	0.021490	3.100000	10.206000	21.700000	0.333292	3.209892	1.069855	3.383489
1340.000000	0.021282	0.021500	4.850000	13.500000	21.450000	0.232513	5.631004	1.309312	5.781220

FIGURE 5-34

FLEXURE NO. 17 COATING TYPE AL ALLOY 230483 (XAPOCS)   TEST NO. 1
THICKNESS RATIO = 0.62771

T	D-12	D-1	T-1	T-12	E1-3	ETA-2	E-22	E-2PP	+F-2
100.000000	0.018370	0.019210	0.400000	0.650000	28.450000	0.002162	14.533194	0.030551	14.533226
200.000000	0.018510	0.019355	0.450000	0.750000	28.000000	0.002235	14.279103	0.036198	14.279149
300.000000	0.018655	0.019510	0.550000	0.850000	27.430000	0.002561	14.055435	0.036277	14.055482
400.000000	0.018810	0.019555	0.600000	1.100000	26.890000	0.004302	13.484510	0.058008	13.484635
500.000000	0.018960	0.019325	0.650000	1.400000	26.340000	0.016475	13.092688	0.084770	13.092962
550.000000	0.019070	0.019305	0.675000	1.550000	26.050000	0.032623	12.730340	0.097702	12.730715
600.000000	0.019160	0.019990	0.700000	1.600000	25.770000	0.038011	12.455451	0.099786	12.456851
650.000000	0.019245	0.020075	0.750000	1.700000	25.500000	0.045700	20.631201	0.114517	22.411491
700.000000	0.019335	0.020165	0.800000	1.800000	25.220000	0.009065	12.077943	0.109483	12.078439
725.000000	0.019380	0.020210	0.825000	1.850000	25.090000	0.009334	11.982423	0.111849	11.982945
750.000000	0.019425	0.020255	0.850000	1.900000	24.930000	0.009505	11.882588	0.114148	11.883136
775.000000	0.019470	0.020160	0.875000	1.950000	24.790000	0.009380	11.787978	0.116460	11.788555
900.000000	0.019520	0.020350	0.900000	2.000000	24.640000	0.010161	11.686016	0.118746	11.686619
925.000000	0.019570	0.020393	0.925000	2.033000	24.500000	0.010349	11.510058	0.119197	11.510475
950.000000	0.019615	0.020450	0.950000	2.067000	24.350000	0.010371	11.562055	0.119910	11.562677
975.000000	0.019670	0.020495	0.975000	2.100000	24.220000	0.010623	11.327347	0.120334	11.327986
900.000000	0.019720	0.020550	1.000000	2.150000	24.070000	0.010954	11.297515	0.122620	11.298184
925.000000	0.019770	0.020500	1.025000	2.200000	23.930000	0.011145	11.202818	0.124650	11.203513
950.000000	0.019825	0.020550	1.050000	2.250000	23.790000	0.011505	11.032840	0.126947	11.033570
975.000000	0.019860	0.020700	1.075000	2.350000	23.640000	0.012343	10.869302	0.134162	10.870130
1000.000000	0.019940	0.020755	1.100000	2.450000	23.500000	0.013204	10.704768	0.141344	10.705702

FIGURE 5-35

HIGH TEMPERATURE COATING ... HEAT TREAT PROGRAM

FLEXURE NO. ... COATING TYPE ... ALLOY 2304P3,(CVAP3C3)   TEST NO. 11
THICKNESS RATIO = 0.05771

T	B-12	B-1	T-1	T-12	E1-3	ETA-2	E-?2	E-2PP	*E+2
100.000000	0.018250	0.019210	0.420000	0.630000	28.450000	0.001327	16.022675	0.030875	16.022704
200.000000	0.018440	0.019355	0.450000	0.750000	24.000000	0.002342	15.550709	0.036521	15.550842
300.000000	0.018600	0.019510	0.550000	0.830000	27.450000	0.002433	15.025601	0.036558	15.026545
400.000000	0.018755	0.019555	0.600000	1.100000	26.280000	0.004745	14.425903	0.058364	14.426021
500.000000	0.018925	0.019375	0.630000	1.400000	26.340000	0.006184	14.006166	0.085214	14.006425
550.000000	0.019015	0.019905	0.675000	1.550000	26.050000	0.007265	13.629215	0.098187	13.628568
600.000000	0.019105	0.019905	0.700000	1.600000	25.770000	0.007176	13.420368	0.100327	13.420743
650.000000	0.019200	0.020075	0.750000	1.700000	25.500000	0.004900	23.475661	0.115023	23.475943
700.000000	0.019340	0.020165	0.800000	1.800000	25.220000	0.008503	12.777674	0.109929	12.778146
725.000000	0.019390	0.020210	0.825000	1.850000	25.090000	0.008312	12.599154	0.112254	12.599654
750.000000	0.019435	0.020255	0.850000	1.900000	24.930000	0.009222	12.417445	0.114509	12.417973
775.000000	0.019485	0.020300	0.875000	1.950000	24.790000	0.009495	12.319500	0.116837	12.319054
800.000000	0.019530	0.020350	0.900000	2.000000	24.640000	0.009790	12.211862	0.119121	12.212443
850.000000	0.019600	0.020395	0.925000	2.033000	24.500000	0.010073	11.964590	0.119522	11.965187
875.000000	0.019645	0.020495	0.950000	2.067000	24.350000	0.010310	11.931149	0.120184	11.931793
900.000000	0.019695	0.020550	0.975000	2.100000	24.220000	0.010545	11.693040	0.120611	11.693662
925.000000	0.019750	0.020600	1.000000	2.150000	24.070000	0.010485	11.660126	0.122901	11.660773
950.000000	0.019805	0.020600	1.025000	2.200000	23.930000	0.011237	11.490317	0.125078	11.490998
975.000000	0.019865	0.020700	1.050000	2.250000	23.780000	0.012053	11.317542	0.127179	11.318257
1000.000000	0.019920	0.020760	1.075000	2.350000	23.640000	0.012253	11.151345	0.134403	11.152156
		0.020755	1.100000	2.450000	23.500000	0.012391	10.984095	0.141594	10.985008

FIGURE 5-36

HIGH TEMPERATURE DAMPING TEST PROGRAM

FLEXURE NO. 27 COATING TYPE MYSTIC TAPE 7402   DAMPING TEST NO. 1

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.23241

T	D-12	A-1	T-1	T-12	E1-2	ETA-2	E-2P	E-2PP	*E*2
75.000000	0.019910	0.019755	0.390000	13.700000	28.590300	0.599595	0.516080	0.305841	0.594744
100.000000	0.019015	0.019790	0.400000	9.300000	28.450300	0.779810	0.261431	0.203736	0.331443
125.000000	0.019035	0.019123	0.410000	6.550000	28.730000	1.012610	0.138303	0.140047	0.196827
150.000000	0.019130	0.019150	0.420000	4.750000	28.220000	0.955877	0.102981	0.098437	0.142461
175.000000	0.019170	0.019195	0.430000	3.450000	28.100000	0.903073	0.085263	0.068473	0.109354
200.000000	0.019210	0.019230	0.440000	2.500000	28.000003	0.537350	0.067817	0.046614	0.082293
225.000000	0.019250	0.019270	0.450000	1.900000	27.870000	0.495378	0.067362	0.032736	0.074893
250.000000	0.019285	0.019300	0.460000	1.500000	27.730000	0.456171	0.050170	0.023388	0.055354
275.000000	0.019330	0.019445	0.470000	1.300000	27.590100	0.373914	0.049801	0.018616	0.053166
300.000000	0.019368	0.019377	0.480000	1.150000	27.450070	0.434175	0.032964	0.014971	0.036204
325.000000	0.019405	0.019415	0.490000	1.030000	27.310000	0.391111	0.032732	0.012475	0.035029
350.000000	0.019445	0.019453	0.500000	1.025000	27.180000	0.478220	0.024380	0.011659	0.027025
375.000000	0.019485	0.019403	0.525000	1.025000	27.040000	0.457540	0.024205	0.011070	0.026616
400.000000	0.019525	0.019530	0.550000	1.000000	26.890000	0.619768	0.016007	0.009921	0.018832
425.000000	0.019565	0.019570	0.575000	1.000000	26.730000	0.587756	0.015897	0.009344	0.018440
450.000000	0.019607	0.019610	0.600000	1.000000	26.620000	1.110787	0.007892	0.008767	0.011796
475.000000	0.019647	0.019650	0.625000	1.000000	26.470000	1.045537	0.007832	0.008189	0.011332

FIGURE 5-37

HIGH TEMPERATURE ... ... TEST PROGRAM

FLEXURE NO. 1F COATING TYPE 1N 2J ALLOY ODG 780

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.13970

T	Z-12	Z-1	T-1	T-12	E1-2	ETA-2	E-2P	E-2PP	*E+2
80.000000	0.017465	0.017179	0.400000	0.720000	28.490000	0.001714	12.004993	0.020574	12.605011
150.000000	0.017245	0.017280	0.425000	0.650000	28.220000	0.001247	12.044008	0.015023	12.046017
200.000000	0.018705	0.017355	0.450000	0.630000	28.000000	0.001130	12.049513	0.013616	12.049521
300.000000	0.014158	0.017511	0.550000	0.700000	27.450000	0.000201	11.921102	0.010979	11.921114
400.000000	0.014242	0.017655	0.600000	0.780000	26.690000	0.001195	11.775375	0.012781	11.775382
500.000000	0.014380	0.019425	0.650000	1.000000	26.340000	0.001192	11.906110	0.022608	11.906132
700.000000	0.014492	0.019390	0.700000	1.400000	25.770000	0.003522	12.016367	0.042327	12.016442
800.000000	0.014502	0.020165	0.800000	2.200000	25.220000	0.006264	13.103809	0.082082	13.104066
900.000000	0.014640	0.020350	0.900000	3.870000	24.640000	0.012741	13.004735	0.168331	13.009827
947.000000	0.013760	0.020425	0.920000	4.250000	24.410000	0.014175	13.247028	0.137777	13.248359
949.000000	0.013634	0.020435	0.940000	4.280000	24.370000	0.014012	13.457849	0.188575	13.459170
		0.020445	0.950000	4.150000	24.360000	0.013201	13.733590	0.191294	13.734787

FIGURE 5-38

HIGH TEMPERATURE ... DAMPING TEST PROGRAM

FLEXURE NO. ... SPECIMEN, TYPE ... CU ALLOY ETC ...

THICKNESS TEST NO. 2

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.13870

T	D-I2	D-I	T-1	T-12	E1-3	ETA-2	E-2D	E-2PP	+E+2
100.000000	0.017213	0.020000	0.400000	1.330000	28.450000	0.024195	14.072602	0.057639	14.473020
200.000000	0.017453	0.020000	0.450000	1.500000	28.090000	0.024384	14.102289	0.064646	14.102438
300.000000	0.017511	0.020000	0.550000	1.380000	27.450000	0.003521	14.252574	0.051609	14.252667
400.000000	0.017553	0.020000	0.600000	1.050000	26.830000	0.002037	14.320558	0.029176	14.320588
500.000000	0.017525	0.020000	0.450000	0.980000	26.340000	0.001521	14.723014	0.022392	14.723031
600.000000	0.018000	0.020000	0.700000	1.300000	25.770000	0.002389	14.616217	0.037637	14.616266
700.000000	0.020065	0.020000	0.800000	1.930000	25.220000	0.004725	14.344712	0.067773	14.344872
800.000000	0.020350	0.020000	0.900000	3.080000	24.640000	0.008913	14.107880	0.125817	14.108441
850.000000	0.020450	0.020000	0.950000	4.000000	24.350000	0.012491	13.863474	0.173170	13.864556
900.000000	0.020553	0.020000	1.200000	4.980000	24.070000	0.016447	13.524748	0.222985	13.526586
1000.000000	0.020775	0.020000	1.100000	6.950000	23.000000	0.025243	12.660874	0.320106	12.664920
1100.000000	0.021223	0.020000	1.550000	9.000000	22.920000	0.035514	11.832136	0.417841	11.839511
1200.000000	0.021490	0.020000	3.100000	11.500070	22.320000	0.047289	11.069549	0.523466	11.081919
1400.000000	0.021779	0.020000	9.330000	15.350000	21.700000	0.051555	10.327855	0.636790	10.347468
1450.000000	0.021945	0.020000	10.650000	22.350000	21.070000	0.059170	10.698617	0.740024	10.724180
1500.000000	0.022115	0.020000	11.450000	24.950000	20.270000	0.059733	11.067890	0.764048	11.094231
1525.000000	0.022205	0.020000	11.500000	26.000000	20.430000	0.072322	10.639880	0.771628	10.667823
1550.000000	0.022295	0.020000	11.200000	25.550000	20.290000	0.057122	11.173411	0.749977	11.198553
1575.000000	0.022390	0.020000	9.900000	24.140000	20.140000	0.058349	11.919904	0.701464	11.940526
1600.000000	0.022462	0.020000	8.350000	23.930000	19.930000	0.051574	12.143815	0.747984	12.166829
1650.000000	0.022639	0.020000	6.130000	24.230000	19.820000	0.058783	12.035615	0.827917	12.064057
1700.000000	0.022542	0.020000	5.050000	25.600000	19.560000	0.095321	11.522293	0.983095	11.364156
1712.000000	0.022616	0.020000		27.900000	19.100000	0.105953	10.615813	1.124780	10.675234

FIGURE 5-39

HIGH TEMPERATURE GAS... TEST PROGRAM

FLEXURE NO. 1 ... DESIGN TYPE 1 ... ALLOY DIC 740   THICKNESS TEST NO. 3
                                                          THICKNESS RATIO = 0.1397?

T	D-12	2-1	T-1	T-12	H1-2	ETA-2	E-2P	E-2PP	+E+2
8C.000000	0.017074	0.019179	0.400000	1.100000	28.450000	0.002193	21.031687	0.046254	21.031737
200.000000	0.017175	0.019335	0.450000	1.050000	28.000000	0.001223	20.998737	0.040151	20.908775
300.000000	0.017295	0.019510	0.550000	1.000000	27.450000	0.001212	20.693734	0.031280	20.693757
400.000000	0.017450	0.019555	0.600000	0.990000	26.890000	0.001359	20.302464	0.027599	20.302482
500.000000	0.017576	0.019825	0.650000	0.980000	26.340000	0.001203	20.028501	0.024087	20.028515
600.000000	0.017700	0.019990	0.700000	1.020000	25.770000	0.001193	19.637515	0.023525	19.637532
700.000000	0.017855	0.020145	0.800000	1.180000	25.220000	0.001424	19.217928	-0.027371	19.217947
800.000000	0.018020	0.020350	0.900000	1.400000	24.640000	0.001433	18.764454	0.034503	18.764486
900.000000	0.018175	0.020550	1.000000	1.750000	24.070000	0.001529	18.535997	0.048912	18.537062
1000.000000	0.018345	0.020755	1.100000	2.250000	23.500000	0.003914	18.200500	0.071240	18.200639
1100.000000	0.018560	0.020975	1.200000	2.800000	22.920000	0.005439	17.571735	0.095416	17.571994
1200.000000	0.018762	0.021225	1.550000	3.620000	22.320000	0.007053	17.273337	0.121831	17.273767
1300.000000	0.019000	0.021355	2.000000	4.430000	22.010000	0.008400	17.024470	0.143008	17.025070
1400.000000	0.019275	0.021770	3.100000	5.900000	21.700000	0.010044	16.763193	0.168363	16.764038
1450.000000	0.019640	0.021940	8.350000	12.300000	21.070000	0.015955	16.119019	0.257187	16.121070
1500.000000	0.019810	0.022115	10.650000	16.250000	20.770000	0.022497	15.741541	0.354143	15.745524
1550.000000	0.020285	0.022295	11.450000	17.400000	20.450000	0.024342	15.330437	0.373173	15.334979
1600.000000	0.020200	0.022460	11.200000	18.530000	20.140000	0.029389	15.031209	0.441754	15.037698
1650.000000	0.019018	0.022630	8.350000	20.500000	19.820000	0.045751	14.445528	0.660921	14.460938
1700.000000	0.022000	0.022705	6.150000	24.000000	19.500000	0.057204	13.757620	0.924561	13.788652
1700.000000	0.024456	0.022705	5.100000	28.400000	19.190000	0.091184	12.844643	1.173050	12.918016
1750.000000	0.026745	0.022965	5.100000	32.000000	18.860000	0.112305	11.762664	1.326903	11.637269

FIGURE 5-40

HIGH TEMPERATURE DAMPING TEST PROGRAM

F_EDJJE NO. 14 COATING TYPE MN 34 AL_DY CDC 120

TEST NO. 1

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.02920

T	B-12	B-1	T-1	T-12	E1-2	ETA-2	E-2P	E-2PP	*E*2
80.000000	0.017773	0.019175	0.400000	0.670000	28.450000	0.001302	14.299191	0.019755	14.299204
200.000000	0.017995	0.019355	0.450000	0.730000	28.000000	0.001365	13.914409	0.021771	13.914426
300.000000	0.018082	0.019510	0.550000	0.804000	27.450000	0.001360	13.822842	0.016795	13.822855
400.000000	0.018210	0.019595	0.600000	0.830000	26.850000	0.001289	13.603149	0.017517	13.603160
500.000000	0.018320	0.019825	0.650000	0.980000	26.340000	0.001739	13.815574	0.024022	13.816595
600.000000	0.018290	0.019290	0.700000	1.200000	25.770000	0.002475	14.047641	0.034769	14.047684
700.000000	0.018530	0.020165	0.800000	1.780000	25.220000	0.004547	14.252503	0.064804	14.252650
800.000000	0.018562	0.020350	0.900000	2.800000	24.640000	0.008459	14.289574	0.120999	14.290086
900.000000	0.018830	0.020550	1.000000	4.230000	24.070000	0.014215	14.102753	0.200468	14.104177
1000.000000	0.019025	0.020755	1.200000	6.180000	23.500000	0.022303	13.704200	0.308391	13.707670
1100.000000	0.019255	0.020775	1.700000	8.780000	22.920000	0.034347	13.119894	0.450634	13.127631
1200.000000	0.019315	0.021229	1.570000	12.900000	22.320000	0.052911	12.522715	0.652588	12.540232
1300.000000	0.019790	0.021490	3.100000	18.700000	21.700000	0.075401	11.925622	0.899200	11.959474
1400.000000	0.020042	0.021778	8.350000	27.950000	21.070000	0.099264	11.376272	1.129256	11.432182
1450.000000	0.020235	0.021740	10.650000	32.300000	20.770000	0.111245	11.187520	1.244565	11.256536
1500.000000	0.020395	0.022115	11.450000	33.600000	20.450000	0.114345	11.025282	1.266203	11.097753
1600.000000	0.020755	0.022462	8.350000	35.800000	19.820000	0.145559	10.410476	1.516382	10.520334
1650.000000	0.021000	0.022562	5.900000	37.200000	19.450000	0.172314	9.806028	1.689717	9.950544
	0.020247	0.021340	10.650000	32.200000	20.770000	0.114253	10.494090	1.234462	10.874386

FIGURE 5-41

HIGH TEMPERATURE COATING TEST – RATING TEST NO. 1

FAILURE NO. 2, COATING TYPE A, ON ALLOY 300772

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.11236

T	P-12	P-1	T-1	T-12	F1-3	ETA-2	E-2?	E-2PP	+E+2
100.000000	0.019570	0.019179	0.400000	0.700000	28.450000	0.004743	4.189658	0.016963	4.189703
150.000000	0.019770	0.013291	0.425000	0.650000	28.720000	0.003101	4.145491	0.012892	4.145501
200.000000	0.018545	0.017453	0.450000	0.650000	28.000000	0.002302	4.096575	0.011479	4.096591
300.000000	0.018705	0.018510	0.550000	0.750000	27.450000	0.002803	4.104936	0.011508	4.104952
400.000000	0.019115	0.019555	0.550000	0.775000	26.840000	0.002445	4.107635	0.010126	4.107648
500.000000	0.019220	0.018925	0.650000	0.825000	26.340000	0.002274	4.492121	0.010216	4.492133
600.000000	0.019300	0.019090	0.700000	1.000000	25.770000	0.003365	5.002102	0.016837	5.002131
700.000000	0.019340	0.020105	0.800000	1.420000	25.220000	0.005742	5.860839	0.033695	5.860936
800.000000	0.019420	0.020350	0.900000	2.100000	24.640000	0.009351	6.444696	0.063490	6.445009
845.000000	0.019470	0.020450	0.940000	2.000000	24.390000	0.013124	5.614802	0.056814	6.615372
950.000000	0.019451	0.026450	0.950000	2.600000	24.350000	0.012535	5.842046	0.086467	6.842593
900.000000	0.019340	0.020350	1.000000	3.220000	24.070000	0.016581	6.807788	0.114925	3.800758
1000.000000	0.019745	0.020755	1.100000	5.620000	23.500000	0.030142	5.573846	0.198339	6.578836
1100.000000	0.020020	0.020975	1.200000	7.650000	22.920000	0.053442	5.970936	0.318965	5.979449
1200.000000	0.020315	0.021225	1.550000	10.800000	22.320000	0.082344	5.452430	0.448932	5.470880
1300.000000	0.020555	0.021490	3.100000	15.050000	21.070000	0.110093	5.200597	0.572563	5.252010
1400.000000	0.020845	0.021778	4.350000	22.600000	21.070000	0.137319	5.025367	0.690080	5.072520
1450.000000	0.021040	0.021940	10.550000	24.300000	20.770000	0.153749	4.840337	0.744195	4.897212
1500.000000	0.021125	0.022045	11.700000	27.000000	20.590000	0.133465	4.884763	0.749792	4.941973
1550.000000	0.021175	0.022115	11.450000	24.900000	20.450000	0.148052	4.749753	0.732820	5.003707
1600.000000	0.021375	0.022328	10.620000	26.100000	20.090000	0.147025	4.851769	0.717742	4.934250
1650.000000	0.021445	0.022462	8.350000	26.620000	19.820000	0.154947	5.132485	0.846589	5.201840
1700.000000	0.021950	0.022795	5.100000	32.400000	19.180000	0.295543	4.266424	1.218332	4.436970
1720.000000	0.021962	0.022065	5.000000	33.400000	19.040000	0.296100	4.261596	1.261860	4.444490

FIGURE 5-42

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FIGURE NO. 2N COATING TYPE IN CU ALLOY SPC 772

TEST NO. 2

THICKNESS RATIO = 0.11236

T	P-12	P-1	T-1	T-12	E1-P	STA-2	E-2P	E-2PP	+E+2
100.000000	.012374	.012017/5	0.400000	0.740000	28.460000	0.081342	13.456994	0.821428	13.457016
200.000000	.012025	.012055	0.450000	0.760000	28.080000	0.081441	13.369693	0.819803	13.369707
300.000000	.017230	.012311	0.550000	0.800000	27.450000	0.001245	13.277841	0.016464	13.277092
400.000000	.014220	.012555	0.600000	0.820000	26.890000	0.001043	13.034038	0.013875	13.034045
500.000000	.014363	.012900	0.650000	0.950000	26.340000	0.000953	12.921511	0.012318	12.921517
600.000000	.013515	.020045	0.700000	0.850000	25.770000	0.001315	12.745113	0.016772	12.745124
700.000000	.013615	.020350	0.800000	0.850000	25.220000	0.001382	12.522462	0.017015	12.522473
800.000000	.014660	.020350	0.900000	1.350000	24.640000	0.002245	12.442330	0.027944	12.442362
900.000000	.019835	.020755	1.000000	1.700000	24.070000	0.003363	12.222540	0.041175	12.222609
1000.000000	.012045	.020975	1.200000	2.230000	23.500000	0.005373	11.759984	0.063102	11.760154
1100.000000	.012276	.021225	1.550000	3.100000	22.920000	0.009212	11.295596	0.101791	11.296055
1200.000000	.012515	.021490	1.550000	4.420000	22.320000	0.013803	10.689197	0.150270	10.890234
1300.000000	.019745	.021774	3.100000	6.200000	21.700000	0.015584	10.542739	0.165349	10.544835
1400.000000	.021175	.021340	8.350000	14.200000	21.070000	0.031343	10.084331	0.315570	10.009306
1500.000000	.021265	.022115	10.450000	17.680000	20.770000	0.038457	9.728171	0.374213	9.735366
1600.000000	.020420	.022462	11.450000	19.400000	20.450000	0.044547	9.430172	0.421031	9.439567
1700.000000	.021295	.022775	14.350000	22.150000	19.620000	0.079065	8.636971	0.673729	8.663208
1700.000000	.021723	.023035	5.180000	29.600000	19.190000	0.151767	7.460129	1.131756	7.545400
1770.000000			5.400000	34.080000	18.720000	0.207149	6.212872	1.286989	6.344771

FIGURE 5-43

AIRESEARCH MANUFACTURING COMPANY OF ARIZONA
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MASTIC SILICONE ADHESIVE AND
ALUMINUM FOIL TAPE NO. 7402
FOR A 16.2-OZ TREATMENT

ESTIMATED GEIGER RATING FOR A
22.2-OZ TREATMENT

TEMPERATURE (°F)

50 75 100 125 150 175 200 225 250 275 300 325 350 375 400 425 450 475 500 525 550 575 600

DECAY RATE (DB/SEC)

| CALCULATED BY | RWP | 3-57 | | GRAPH |
| DRAWN BY | DJM | 3-151 | | 5-15 |

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GRAPH 5-16

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GRAPH 5 27

FLEXURE NO. 27
COATING — MYSTIK TAPE TYPE 7402

of their firing temperatures. Graph 5-28 shows the comparison of the damping observed in manganese copper with data reported by other observers.

5.5.2 Observations

The decay rate and period, as functions of temperature, are averaged for two bare flexures and appear as a reference on all graphs presenting original observations--Graphs 5-2 through 5-14. The monotonic rise in period reflects mainly the progressive loss of stiffness with increasing temperature. No attempt was made to correct for the slight increase in moment of inertia due to thermal growth. The pronounced damping increase that appeared between 1300°F and 1700°F was unexpected and required modification of the data-reduction procedure to remove its influence on the coating material parameters. That the apparatus could map this internal friction peak shows its possible usefulness for the investigation of such peaks in other high-temperature alloys.

5.5.2.1 Vitreous Enamels

Graphs 5.2 through 5-5 present the decay rates observed on the four vitreous enamels and also show the period curve used in data reduction. This period curve is drawn parallel to the average period curve from the bare-bar tests, but its height is adjusted to coincide with the coated-bar period at the firing temperature of the vitreous enamel. This was necessary because the data depended critically on the period, yet the exact bare-bar frequency for each

GRAPH 5-28
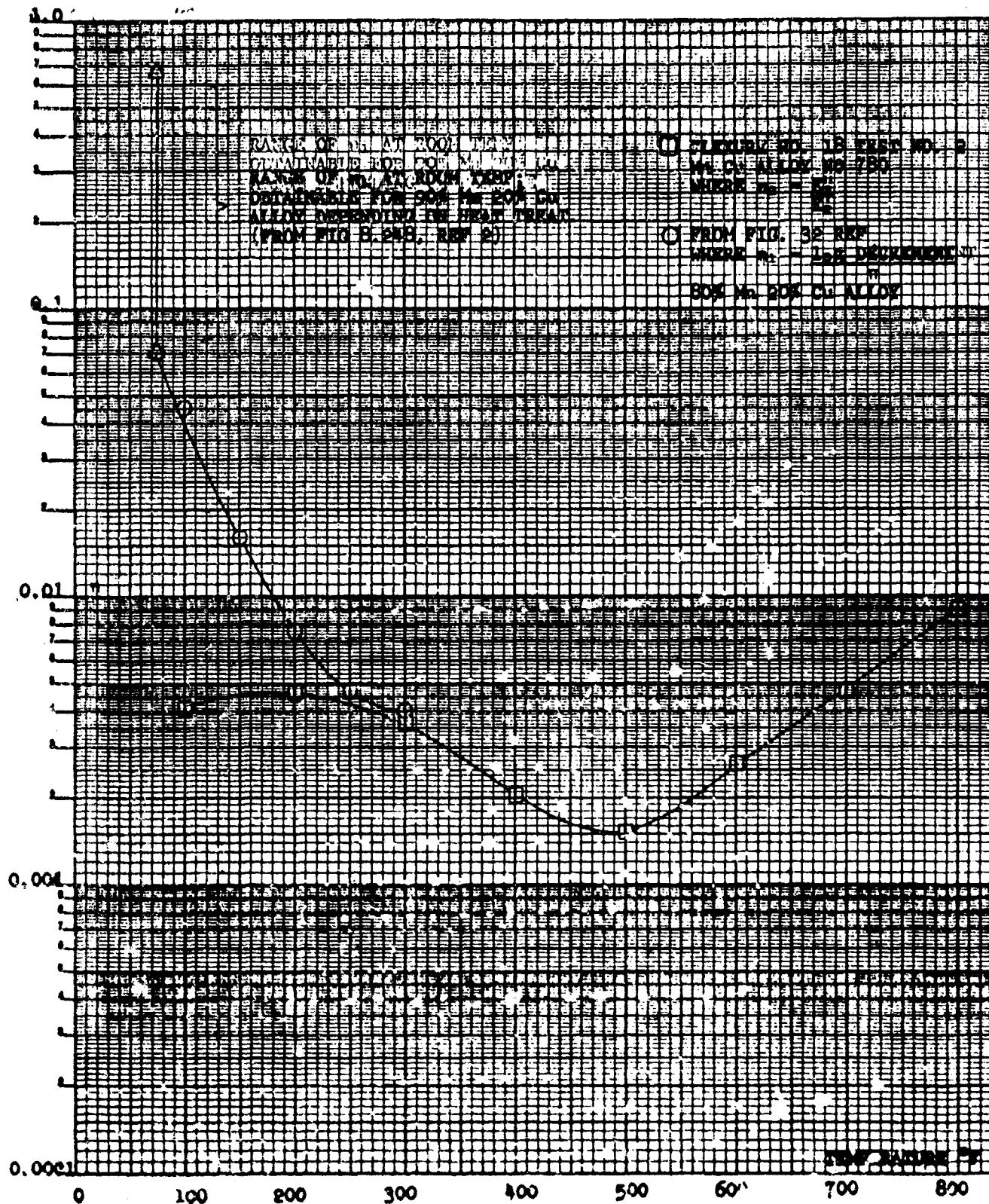
specimen was in doubt. The only assumptions necessary were that the stiffness of the enamel was negligible at its firing temperature and that the effect of the coating mass on the period was negligible. The first assumption stands on its own merits. The second assumption was checked directly by the addition of mass to the center of a test bar. Two grams were necessary to change one digit in the fifth significant figure of the period.

The extraordinary decay rates attained at the peaks of the vitreous enamel damping curves were greater than expected. In fact, it is fortunate that the coatings were thin. Had the coatings been much thicker, the damping would have exceeded the maximum values that could be regeneratively driven by the forcing system (about 35 db per second maximum decay rate). The appearance of the small initial plateau in the decay rates at about 450°F in Types A and B was also unexpected and offered the promise of useful damping at temperatures lower than expected. The initial appearances and later disappearances of such a plateau in the type of coating indicated a possible chemical change during the first thermal cycle.

5.5.2.2 Manganese Alloys

The behavior of the manganese alloys was considerably more complicated than that of the vitreous enamels. The periods are well removed from the bare-bar periods; hence, the average bare-bar periods were used in the data reduction. Decay rates and periods both were affected strangely by thermal history. Alloy No. 780 shows a modest initial decay rate which nearly disappears at 400°F. It should be noted here that this amount of room-temperature damping has made this manganese alloy notable as a "dead metal." Processing of this data to obtain material parameters had a smothering effect on the curves, and further discussion of the complicated behavior of the manganese coatings is deferred to Section 5.6.

The comparison made in Graph 5-28 is one illustration of the complicated behavior of a manganese alloy.

The band presented from Dean's data, which is shown also in Figure 5-3 illustrates the variation in damping at low stress levels, depending on heat treatment.

Figure 32 of Ref. 14 was the only other data available at this time showing the damping characteristics at elevated temperature, and was taken at high stress levels. These two tests were performed on carefully prepared metallurgical samples with controlled heat treatment, while the information obtained in this program was the result of measurements made on flame-sprayed coatings where no attempt was made to determine the metallurgical changes that took place in the material.

5.5.2.3 Aluminum Cermets

Both of the aluminum cermets exhibited similar and consistent period and decay rate curves. The periods were usually well removed from those of the bare bar, and no period correction was attempted. Both display a barely perceptible damping at room temperature. This is the room temperature anomalous damping for which these alloys are famous. As temperature increases, decay rates climb linearly to slightly higher values. The periods also increase linearly to about 1000°F.

5.5.2.4 Sperex VHT

Graph 5-12 shows the observations on the commercial high-temperature protective material, Sperex VHT Coating (black). Both the period and decay rate curves parallel the bare bar curves.

Thus, it is concluded that the coating had no appreciable effect
on either stiffness or damping. This data was not processed further.
No criticism of the coating is made, since no claims of damping
or stiffness are made by the manufacturer.

5.5.2.5 Aluminum-Silicone Tape

The results of two tests on a constrained-layer damping tape,
that is known to be effective are shown in Graphs 5-13 and 5-14.
The decay rates are significantly higher on the second test than
on the first, which reflects a curing of the silicone adhesive.
The period rises abruptly at first, which suggests a rapid loss
or stiffness in the adhesive. The damping curves show maximum
damping at $80^{\circ}F$, the lowest temperature tested. This same material
was evaluated, by the Geiger test method (160 cps), previously.

The Geiger test (Graph 5-15) showed a peak damping at $140^{\circ}F$
which disagrees with the present tests as to the location of the
peak. What may have occurred in the intervening years in the way
of changes in the formulation of the adhesive is not known.

It is regarded as probable that the damping observed at $75^{\circ}F$
is at or near the maximum for the present-day material. Note that
the total tip thickness is about 0.010 inch--more than twice as
thick as the vitreous enamels.

5.5.3 The Refined Data

5.5.3.1 Hastelloy X

Graph 5-16 presents the stiffness modulus E_1', the loss modulus,
E_1'', and the ratio of loss modulus to stiffness modulus, η_1, for the
annealed Hastelloy X. Because the stiffness modulus is relatively

constant, the E_1'' curve essentially parallels the η_1 curve. At
low temperatures the values of η_1, hence E_1'', are too high
because the damping originates in the viscous drag of air on
the portion of the fixture that protrudes through the furnace
floor. In the region of the damping increase, however, internal
friction in the Hastelloy X is clearly predominant. The
peak value of η_1 is 0.0093, which means that a force of nearly one
percent of the stiffness is out of phase with the strain. This
shows that at this temperature a Hastelloy X structure is as
"dead" as though it were made of hardwood, even if no other
damping mechanism is present. This is presumed to be an anelastic
peak (see Section 5.7).

5.5.3.2 Vitreous Enamels

The four vitreous enamels generally behaved alike, but dif-
ferences in detail were significant. For Type A (Graph 5-17) the
stiffness modulus, E_2', decreases very gradually with increasing
temperature and then abruptly at about $700^\circ F$. The apparent increase
in stiffness above $900^\circ F$ is probably erroneous and should be dis-
regarded unless future studies confirm its existence.

The loss factor, η_2, shows an initial climb beginning at $200^\circ F$
and attains a plateau of approximately 0.03 at $500^\circ F$. Since the glass
is so stiff ($E_2' \approx 7 \times 10^8$ psi at $500^\circ F$), this plateau represents useful
damping for many applications. At $650^\circ F$, η_2 climbs rapidly to form
a major damping peak with a maximum of about 0.4 at $875^\circ F$. Above
$875^\circ F$ the loss coefficient drops in a symmetrical manner. The loss
modulus is at first parallel to η_2, and is 200,000 psi in the plateau
region. The peak value of E_2'' occurs at a lower temperature ($800^\circ F$
than does the peak in η_2 because of the rapid loss of stiffness in
this region. The E_2'' peak is also symmetrical.

The pattern just described is characteristic of viscoelastic materials. The peak value of E_2'' of nearly 2,000,000 psi is, however, unprecedented and is an order of magnitude greater than that attainable in organic polymers.

The Type B vitreous enamel exhibits an E_2', E_2'', and η_2 similar in character to those of Type A. A second test revealed a small increase in stiffness and a tendency for η_2 to shift downward and toward higher temperatures. The peak value of E_2'', however, remains essentially unchanged. These differences suggest that the coating had not completely stabilized chemically during its brief application firing. The peak value of E_2'' is about 3,000,000 psi at $825^\circ F$, but useful damping is present above $400^\circ F$. Unlike the Type A material, η_2 for Type B climbs continuously as the firing temperature is approached and reaches values above unity (see Graph 5-18).

Type Bb vitreous enamel also shows stiffening and a greater loss of η_2 during a second test; η_2 and E_2'' exhibit both a plateau and a region of moderate climb before the major peak is attained. Peak values of E_2'' exceed 1,000,000 psi and η_2 climbs continuously to values in excess of unity. The E_2'' peak occurs at about $1050^\circ F$ (see Graph 5-19).

Type C vitreous enamel exhibited the same general pattern, but also more complexity in detail and more difference between the first and the second test. There was exact duplication of the E_2'' peak in the first and the second test. During the first run the stiffness actually increased for a few hundred degrees, which indicated a possible chemical change toward the significantly stiffer material observed in the second test. During the first run, two maximums of η_2 and E_2'' occurred below $1100^\circ F$. This was replaced by a single moderate upward slope in the second test. Above the major E_2'' peak,

η_2 in the first test climbed in an undulating manner to a value in excess of five. During the second test an η_2 maximum occurred that was considerably less than unity. As in all previous cases, the change in stiffness seemed to compensate the change in loss factor and led to a virtually unchanged E" peak. In this case, the peak value of E_2'' was about 2,000,000 psi (see Graph 5-20).

The similarity among the four vitreous enamels is shown in Graph 5-21, which shows E_2'' as a function of percent of firing temperatures. The peaks all occur between 73 and 81 percent of firing temperature. All are symmetrical and of nearly the same width. Peak values of E_2'' are all of the same order of magnitudes. Two have major plateaus; two do not.

5.5.3.3 Manganese Alloys

The manganese alloys were more regular in their behavior than the original data indicated when plotted as E_2', E_2'', and η_2 (see Graphs 5-22 through 5-24). The CDC alloy No. 720, containing 20 percent Mn, shows a nearly constant stiffness modulus having a maximum near 700°F. As a result of this flatness the η_2 and E_2'' curves are parallel. Both exhibit a minimum at 400°F then rise monotonically. The loss coefficient, η_2, finally reaches 0.15 at 1650°F, and the loss modulus exceeds 1,500,000 psi at this point. This broad damping characteristic can be useful if application problems can be solved.

Alloy No. 772 (72 percent manganese) exhibited pronounced heat-treatment effects. The stiffness modulus is more than 100 percent greater on the second test. During the first test, η_2 shows a slight minimum at 500°F and then climbs smoothly to 1450°F. Above 1450°F two apparent discontinuities appear. The second test shows η_2 to be significantly lower. The same minimum occurs near 500°F, but new discontinuities in slope occur at 1200°F and 1300°F. The loss modulus, E_2'', was greater during the second test below 500°F

but appreciably less above 500°F. The value of loss modulus for tests one and two converges at 1700°F at a value in excess of 1,000,000 psi. Useful broad-band damping is indicated if application techniques can be evolved.

Graph 5-22 shows the results of three tests on alloy No. 780 (80 percent Mn, the high-damping alloy). For test 1, the initial value of η_2 was low and then rose steadily to near 800°F, where it rolled off abruptly to a slightly lower value of 850°F. This temperature is the heat-treatment temperature used to bring out maximum room-temperature damping in this alloy.

The second test showed a much higher initial value of η_2, which then fell steadily to a minimum near 500°F. The loss coefficient, η_2, then rose smoothly to 1300°F and leveled off until 1500°F, above which it became irregular.

The third test showed the loss coefficient to be low in its initial value, and its minimum occurred near 600°F. The loss coefficient, η_2, then climbed steadily, except for a minor peak at 1450°F. During this climb its value was lower than during Test 2, but finally attained the same value near 1700°F.

Again, the effect of the increased stiffness partly compensated for the reduction in η_2, so that useful damping was present over a considerable temperature range.

5.5.3.4 Aluminum Cermets

Two tests each were run on the two alloys, XAP001 and XAP003 (see Graphs 5-25 and 5-26). The XAP003 was heated only to 1000°F, which is below the melting point of aluminum. Its stiffness

modulus, loss modulus, and loss coefficient were repeatable. Since the stiffness declined slowly, the r_2 and E_2'' curves are parallel. The damping is appreciable at room temperature, then rises slowly to 300°F. There, an abrupt discontinuity in slope occurs, and the damping rises rapidly in a smooth monotonic manner, becoming nearly constant as 1000° is approached. E_2'' exceeds 100,000 psi above 500°F, which is comparable to the best organic dampers. The material adhered well and retained its bright finish; and it appears to be potentially very useful.

The XAP001 material was first tested to 1000°F; then a second test was conducted to 1350°F, which is above the melting point of aluminum. The first test showed appreciable initial damping and an irregular increase in slope of E_2'' and η_2 at 200°F. The loss parameters then rose smoothly at a decreasing rate to 1000°F. The second test showed some increase in stiffness below 1000°F and a falloff of stiffness above 1000°F, which then abruptly flattened out again at 1200°F. Above 1000°F, η_2 showed a fairly rapid rise and a small peak at 1275°F (about the melting point of aluminum). The loss modulus at this point attained 1,000,000 psi and exceeded 100,000 psi everywhere above 350°F. The coating separated from the bar sometime during the second test, which was probably the result of overheating. This material resisted oxidation well and appears to be useful.

5.5.3.5 Damping Tape

Prior to this study the only damping material known to be useful at temperatures above about 150°F was aluminum-foil tape with a silicone adhesive. To establish a bridge between the present study and past Geiger testing, this tape (total thickness, 0.010 inch) was tested to 450°F. The data was processed by the

same computer program, but these results (Graph 5-27) apply only
to the 150-microinch-per-inch surface strain level. The decays
recorded showed substantial curvatures (see Figure 5-21), such
that, at lower strain levels, the damping was appreciably less.
This, plus possible formulation changes in the adhesive, may
explain discrepancies between the Geiger test results (Graph 5-15)
and the present test results.

Starting at 75°F, the loss coefficient rose from an initial
value of 0.6 to a value of unity at 125°F. It then fell to 0.4
at 300°F and rose again to unity at 450°F. The stiffness modulus
fell off very rapidly from an initial value of 500,000 psi to
15,000 psi at 450°F. The loss modulus fell more slowly from
300,000 psi to 9,000 psi. These test results should not be taken
as more than an indication of the maxima to be expected from an
efficient organic damping structure. Details of end attachment
of the tape, etc., as well as the strain levels used, can pro-
foundly affect the shape of the curves.

5.6 Other Physical Properties

The following is a brief description of general physical
properties drawn mainly from vendor-supplied data. Vendor
catalogue information is presented in Appendix II.

5.6.1 Base Material

Hastelloy X, a nickle-base alloy, was used in the construction of the test apparatus and test bars. It was chosen for its high-temperature strength, oxidation resistance, and machinability. See Appendix II.

5.6.2 Coatings

5.6.2.1 Aluminum-Alumina Cermets

Two of a series of sintered aluminum powder alloys (aluminum-alumina cermets) developed by the Aluminum Swiss Company were utilized as coatings during this investigation. The alloys, designated XAP001 and XAP003, offer high mechanical properties in the temperature range from 600° to 1000°F. Other attractive characteristics of the aluminum powder alloys XAP001 and XAP003 are as follows:

(a) Stable properties at temperature regardless of the length of exposure time at temperature.

(b) Retention of original room-temperature properties after repeated elevated-temperature exposures.

(c) High modulus of elasticity at both room and elevated temperatures.

The alloys exhibit excellent resistance to creep and stress-rupture over the temperature ranges investigated (up to 1000°F). Appendix II presents information on specific gravity, electrical conductivity, thermal conductivity, coefficient of thermal expansion, melting range, specific heat, and damping. Table 5 shows typical mechanical properties of extruded XAP001. It is believed that the good strength and ductility of XAP001, particularly in the transverse direction, is due to a uniform oxide dispersion.

It is claimed that the general corrosion resistance of the alloys is better than that of aluminum alloys 7075-T6 and 2024-T4 and is comparable to that of 6061-T6. Stress-corrosion tests indicate that XAP001 and XAP003 exhibit excellent resistance to stress-corrosion cracking.

5.6.2.2 Manganese Alloys

Three manganese alloys developed by the Chicago Development Corporation were applied to the test specimens as coatings to determine their damping capacities versus temperature. They are designated C.D.C. Manganese Alloys No. 720, 772, and 780. The nominal chemical composition of the alloys, various physical properties, and typical room-temperature mechanical properties of the manganese alloys, are shown in Appendix II.

Alloy No. 720 is a manganese alloy that responds to hardening by heat treatment. It has high tensile and fatigue strength, wide hardness range, and excellent corrosion-resisting characteristics. It is a soft, ductile metal which can be hot- or cold-formed readily. It is hardened by heating in the range of 500 to 900°F. This alloy differs from precipitation-hardening alloys in that

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TABLE 5-

TYPICAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF SINTERED ALUMINUM POWDER EXTRUSIONS AT PROGRESSIVELY ELEVATED TEMPERATURES

Temperature	Property[1]	XAP001[2] L	XAP001[2] T
Room	Ultimate strength, psi	37,000	32,000
	Yield strength, psi	27,000	22,000
	Elongation, %	13	9
400°F	Ultimate strength, psi	23,000	22,000
	Yield strength, psi	19,000	17,000
	Elongation, %	13	9
600°F	Ultimate strength, psi	16,000	14,000
	Yield strength, psi	14,000	12,000
	Elongation, %	11	7
800°F	Ultimate strength, psi	11,000	10,000
	Yield strength, psi	10,000	9,000
	Elongation, %	4	3
1000°F	Ultimate strength, psi	6,000	5,000
	Yield strength, psi	5,000	4,000
	Elongation, %	6	4

NOTES: 1. These properties are independent of time at temperature.

2. Upon cooling to room temperature, the original room-temperature properties apply.

dependable and uniform hardening response does not involve critical control of chemical composition, fabricating technique, or heat treatment. Hardening produces a high ratio of yield strength and proportional limit to tensile strength. Negligible distortion occurs during the precipitation hardening.

Manganese Alloy No. 772 offers a combination of high strength and ductility. It has a high thermal coefficient of expansion, low thermal conductivity, and high vibration damping constant. The combination of high strength and a high specific damping constant makes the alloy desirable in applications that cannot incorporate rubber or plastics to reduce vibrations. It is especially useful in eliminating sustained resonance of metallic members due to intermittent shock. The damping rate of the alloy is about 25 times greater than for hardened steel when compared at low stresses.

Alloy 780 possesses an unusual combination of mechanical and thermal properties. Its extremely low shear modulus with high damping capacity provides excellent wear resistance and low noise level.

5.6.2.3 Vitreous Enamels

All test bars were annealed at 1400°F in an exothermic atmosphere for 5 minutes and then sandblasted to produce a mechanical etch.

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5.6.2.4 Coating Application

Methods of application of the metallic materials were considered, and metal spraying was selected for the following reasons:

(a) It has little effect on the physical properties of the test flexures.

(b) It is apparently the only simple way of applying the XAP Alloys and manganese alloys.

(c) This appeared to be the best general method for applying the materials to parts, and it was therefore desirable to gain experience in this area.

As with any coating, surface cleanliness and physical condition are important to obtain adhesion. The best procedure for metal spraying is to sandblast with a 60-grit nominal-size abrasive for cleaning and surface conditioning.

Because thin sections, such as sheet-metal parts, could be distorted by sandblasting, this type of metal spraying might not be practicable. The equipment used for metal spraying is that provided by Metco, Inc. Recommended procedures of Metco were utilized initially and then varied to obtain the desired results-- i.e., a uniformly thick layer that exhibited complete adhesion. Since the Mn-Cu alloys are not listed by Metco, their recommended wire-feed speed for copper was used. This proved to be satisfactory, and slightly faster or slower speeds did not appear to alter the coated layer significantly. In the case of XAP Alloys the recommended speed for aluminum proved to be completely unworkable. The metal came out of the gun in large globules and was deposited as a few isolated bumps on the test flexure.

It appeared that either or all of the following was occurring:

(a) The wire feed rate was too fast.

(b) The material was not hot enough to atomize.

(c) Gas pressures to the gun nozzle were too low.

(d) The gas flow rate was too slow.

The wire-feed speed was slowed to the lowest speed of the gun and gas pressure was increased, as well as gas flow rate. These changes in technique resulted in satisfactory coating of the XAP Alloys.

Although the vitreous coatings were not actually applied by AiResearch, there did not appear to be any difficulty encountered. It is pointed out that the firing temperature should not affect the mechanical properties of the base metals because the ultimate usable temperature of the ceramic coating is always lower than the firing temperature.

5.6.3 Fabrication Philosophy

The preparation of the test flexures and the applied coatings developed some problems that were overcome, but also indicated potential difficulties if these materials are to be applied to equipments or parts of equipments. These problems could be:

(a) Coating application difficulties.

(b) Deleterious effect of coatings on base metals.

(c) Effect of potential service environments on coated parts.

Metal spraying, even though a versatile process, would have limitations for coating parts with complex configurations. The difficulty of obtaining a uniformly thick layer in recesses, internal diameters, etc., is inherent with any spray operation. Experience in this area should be gained by processing typical parts that could then be metallurgically examined for coating quality.

It would appear that sheet metal previously clad with the coating would simplify fabrication of parts. A determination of the ability to clad various sheet metals with the Mn-Cu alloys should be made. Studies and tests of form bility and other fabrication methods of clad sheet metal would be necessary.

Consideration must be given to the effect of the coating materials on the base metal due to dissimilar metal potentials, which could promote corrosion of the base metal. Diffusion of elements of the coating alloys, as a result of temperature, could result in embrittlement or other changes in mechanical properties of the base metal.

In addition to the above, the effects of service environments on the coatings must be known, such as the capability of coatings to withstand the effects of temperature cycling, thermal shock, and addition of moisture and chlorides in combination with temperature variations. Oxygen, carbon, sulfur, and lead, either singly or in combination, are generally associated with high-temperature applications. A study of coated parts in these environments would have to precede design adaptations to any equipment.

5.7 Discussion

5.7.1 Temperature Band Width

5.7.1.1 Viscoelastic Materials

Both viscoelastic damping and several anelastic damping mech-
anisms are ultimately caused by relaxation mechanisms. These
relaxation processes are temperature-dependent, and the damping
they produce is a function of temperature. Characteristically, the
damping exhibits a symmetrical peak when plotted against temperature.
The width of the peak depends on the details of the relaxation time
distribution function. In this same temperature region other material
parameters, such as the stiffness modulus, undergo an abrupt trans-
ition to considerably different values.

The simpler materials, having narrow relaxation time spectra,
exhibit large values of damping but over such a narrow temperature
range that their usefulness is limited in many applications where
a range of temperatures may be encountered. In many cases the
compounding of the material may be changed to produce a broader
relaxation time spectrum and a correspondingly broader temperature
characteristic. For example, this is accomplished in polymers by
the incorporation of plasticizers. Invariably, a reduction in peak
damping accompanies the broadening of the temperature range. Oberst
(Ref. 5) has reduced this subject to simple terms, which are approx-
imations, but which appear satisfactory for engineering use.

He shows that the area under an $\dfrac{E_2''}{E_g}$ vs T curve is constant;
furthermore, this area is approximated well by a rectangle having
$\dfrac{E''_{max}}{E_g}$ as its height, and the width, ΔT, measured at the points

where $\dfrac{E''}{E_g} = \dfrac{1}{2}\dfrac{E''_{max}}{E_g}$. This leads to the relation

$$\frac{E''_{max}}{E_g}\,\Delta T \cong 6^\circ$$

Here

E''_{max} is the peak value of the loss modulus

E_g is the value of Young's modulus below the transition
region

ΔT is the "half-value" band width of the E'' vs ΔT curve

The value 6° assumes measurement of ΔT as change in the
absolute-temperature Kelvin scale.

Oberst shows that the nominal constant 6° may vary from about
5° to 7°, but the value 6° leads to predictions satisfactory for
most engineering purposes.

Although Oberst's work was devoted to polymeric organic
materials, his assumptions o⋅᷍ ⋅᷍ᴠoke a relaxation time mechanism.
The behavior of the vitreous materials in their transition region
resembles the classic behavior of the organic polymers so closely
that there seems little reason to doubt that their behavior is
truly viscoelastic and that Oberst's formula holds. Figure 5-44
shows that tradeoff of peak damping for temperature band width
according to Oberst's relation.

FIGURE 5-44

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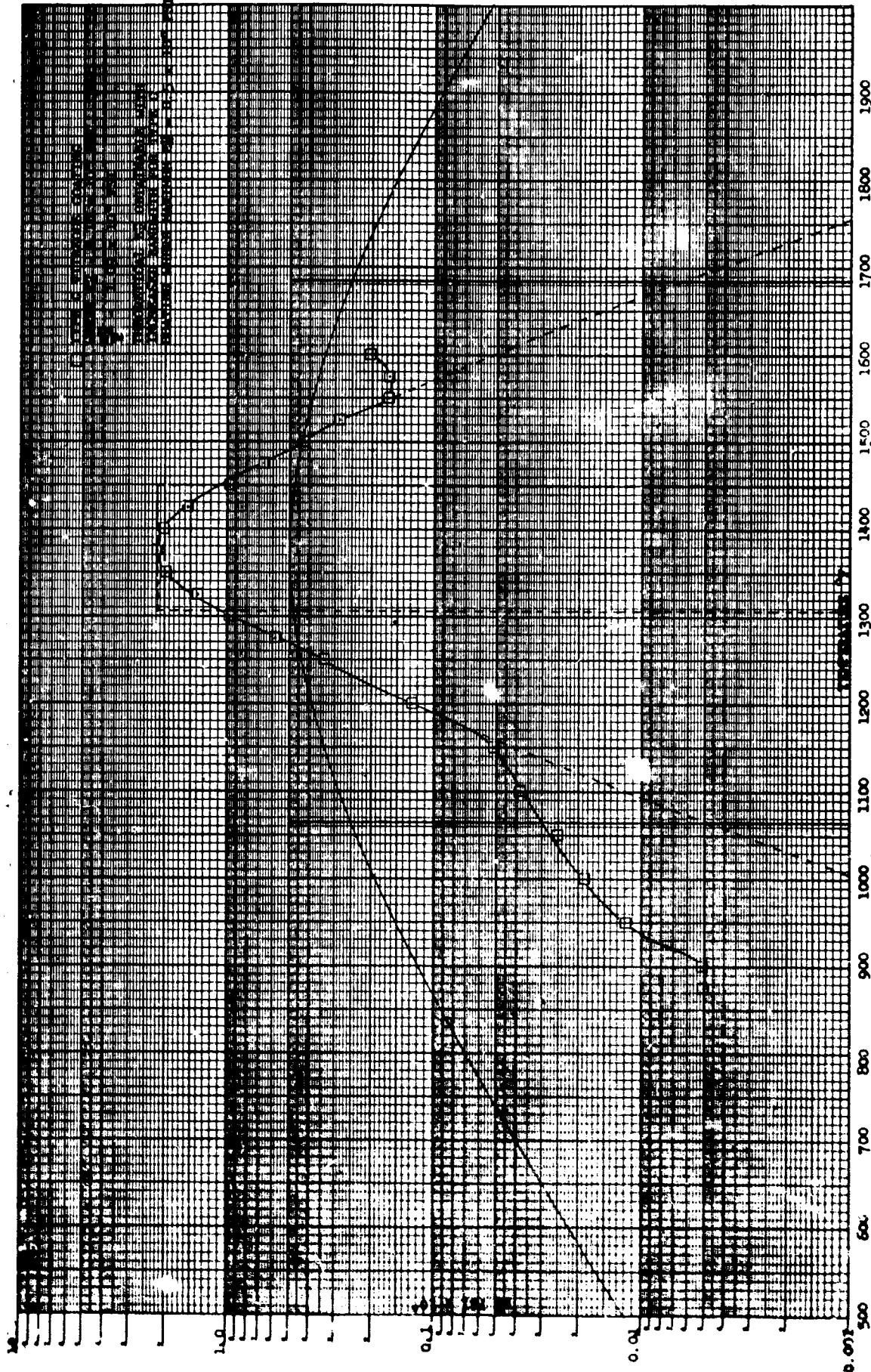
5.7.1.2 The Harrison Test

All four vitreous enamels tested showed similar damping peaks. This is illustrated in Figure 5-21 which shows that if E_2'' is plotted against percentage of firing temperatures, the curves for the four enamels nearly superimpose on each other.

The peak damping attained is much greater than that of the best organic materials. This results from the greater stiffness of glass as compared to plastics. The moderate bandwidths, however, are narrower than desirable in many applications in which a range of temperatures are encountered.

It seems reasonable to believe that vitreous enamels having much broader bandwidths (and correspondingly lower peak values) can be compounded. There is a possibility that conventional vitreous enamels have evolved along lines leading to narrow bandwidths, since well-defined fusion temperatures, rather than a sluggish transition, could be a convenience to the applicator.

To facilitate the compounding of enamel frits having broader temperature bandwidths, a simple screening test is needed. Otherwise, a prospective enamel composition would have to be made and applied to a test bar and a complete damping test conducted for each formulation. The total effort involved in such an approach would be staggering.

Vitreous enamelers and frit manufacturers have paid considerable attention to defining and measuring a fusion temperature for their coatings. Harrison (Ref. 34) at the U.S. Bureau of Standards evolved a test procedure about 35 years ago intended to

redefine a fusion point. This test has found little or no use among frit makers or enamelers but appears to provide a simple screening test for damping bandwidth.

The Harrison test consists of preparing a small sample of a proposed formulation and melting it in a crucible. While molten, a thermocouple junction is potted in the sample. After cooling, the crucible is placed in a hot furnace and the thermocouple voltage is recorded as a function of time.

The results of such a test are shown in Figure 5-45. The temperature or thermocouple voltage is plotted against the reciprocal of temperature-rate-of-change, $\frac{seconds}{2.5^{\circ}C}$. A material having a constant specific heat will generate a simple exponential heating curve as shown in the figure.

A material that is undergoing a progressive loosening of a variety of chemical bonds will not exhibit a constant specific heat. It is undergoing a distributed melting, and each type of bond breakage has an associated latent heat of fusion. The result is a variable reciprocal of temperature-rate-of-change as shown in the figure. It appears almost certain that this test procedure will lead to results having a direct correlation to damping tests, particularly with regard to bandwidth. It should also answer questions of chemical stability in terms of the repeatability after prolonged heating. The Harrison test is therefore recommended for exploration as a screening test for the study of the effect of frit compounding on temperature bandwidth.

Both Type A (low-temperature) and Type C (high-temperature) enamels showed some indication of broadening of the response curve. The Type A coating exhibits a minor rise in damping near $500^{\circ}F$,
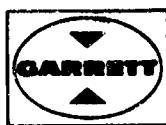
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TYPICAL HARRISON TEST RESULTS
FOR A   PORCELAIN ENAMEL

FIGURE 5-45
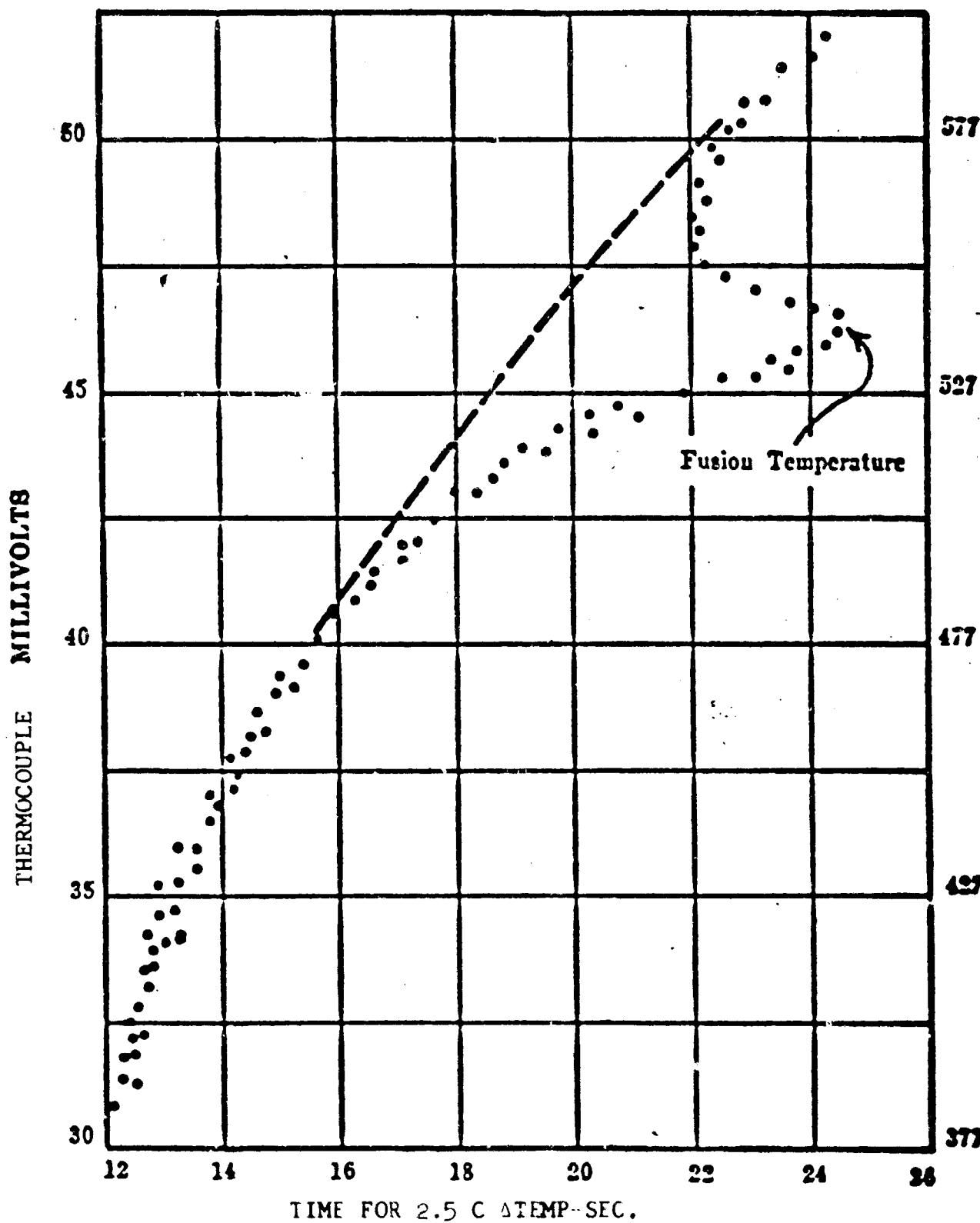
which levels out as a plateau before the major peak occurs. The
Type C material showed a similar tendency on the initial run,
but the effect was absent as temperature was decreased. This
indicated that minor chemical changes occurred during the thermal
cycle. The Type B material showed no such tendencies. The Type B
frits were basic frits--probably involving the least elaborate
compounding.

5.7.1.3 Manganese Alloys and Cermets

Both the manganese alloys and the aluminum cermets exhibit
a broad and increasing damping characteristic as temperature
increases. There is no clearly defined symmetrical peak that
characterizes viscoelasticity or anelasticity. The decay rates
showed little curvature, which leads one to infer that the damping
was quadratic from 150 microinches per inch on down.

The broadness of the damping characteristic as a function of
temperature is the outstanding merit of the metallic coatings. For
many applications, the range of possible operating temperatures is
wide, and protection against resonance may be needed at all tem-
peratures. This problem is difficult to cope with if the damping
coating is too temperature-dependent. Thus, coatings of XAP alloys
can be very useful, since they provide moderate but significant
damping from room temperature or below up to 1000°F or more.

For both the manganese alloys and the aluminum cermets the
damping mechanisms are unknown. In the absence of some knowledge
of the micromechanisms it is impossible to speculate as to the
probable effects of composition changes.

5.7.2 Frequency Bandwidth

5.7.2.1 Introduction

Any damping mechanism associated with a relaxation time spectrum is, of necessity, rate-dependent (i.e., frequency-dependent). Thus, it is possible to conduct vibration damping tests at constant temperature and vary the frequency. The result on a viscoelastic material is a resonance curve which, when plotted to the properly chosen frequency scale, is essentially identical with those plotted to a temperature scale.

Such constant-temperature tests are seldom performed, because of the experimental difficulties involved.

Any damping mechanism associated with relaxation spectra will follow a predictable pattern of frequency dependence. An increase in temperature has the same effect on damping as a decrease in frequency, and vice versa. In general, it is observed that a small change in temperature is the equivalent of a large change in frequency. Thus, in many cases, frequency dependence is neglected as a small effect compared to other uncertainties. A material showing good damping at a frequency in the audio range will in all probability be as useful elsewhere in the audio range. Nonetheless, for true optimization of a damping treatment the general magnitude of the frequency dependence should be known, as well as its direction of change.

5.7.2.2 The Arrhenius Equation

A fundamental relation used by physical chemists to explain the temperature dependence of chemical reactions is the Arrhenius equation:

$$\ln K = - \frac{A_e}{RT}$$

Here

R = gas constant

T = absolute temperature

A_e = activation energy

K = reaction rate

The reaction rate is considered to be proportional to the frequency of collisions involving energy greater than A_e.

The same form has been found to be valid for relating the frequency and temperature dependence of relaxation damping mechanisms.

$$\ln f = + \frac{A_e}{RT}$$

$$\log_{10} \frac{f}{f_o} = \frac{.43\, A_e}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_o} \right)$$

Here a material having a maximum value of F_2'' at T_o when tested at f_o will show max E_2'' at T if tested at frequency f.

This relation holds only in the transition region of the material. Just as the physical chemist must calculate his activation energy, A_e, from reaction rates measured at two or more temperatures, it is necessary to calculate A_e from measurements of damping peaks at two or more frequencies.

The Arrhenius equation shows that $\log_{10} \frac{f}{f_o}$ is proportional to $(\frac{1}{T_o} - \frac{1}{T})$. The fact that large changes in frequency are required to produce small changes in the temperature at which E''_{max} occurs presents appreciable experimental difficulty in the measurements of A_e.

5.7.2.3 Oberst's Relation

Oberst (Ref. 5) provided convenient bench marks for frequency-temperature interdependence. He derived not only an expression for the bandwidth of $\frac{E''}{E_g}$ vs temperature, but also an identical expression for the bandwidth of $\frac{E''}{E_g}$ vs $\log_{10} \frac{f}{f_o}$.

$$\frac{E''}{E} \quad \Delta T \cong 6^o \text{ Kelvin}$$

$$\frac{E''}{E_g} \quad \Delta\log_{10} \frac{F}{F_o} \cong .68$$

The subscript g infers values typical for its glassy state.

Thus, it is possible to write

$$\Delta \log_{10} \frac{f}{f_o} \cong .11 \ \Delta T \qquad (\text{T in degrees Kelvin})$$

Although originally derived to deal with organic polymer materials, Oberst's assumptions seem general enough to be valid for vitreous materials.

5.7.2.4 Practical Effect

Figure 5-46 shows the application of the above relation to the test results on the Type C vitreous enamel. It shows the great range of frequency that would have to be swept to generate just the portion of the damping curve between the half-value points if the temperatures were held constant at $1375^{\circ}F$ $(747^{\circ}C)$. Thus, it can be seen why the frequency dependence is probably of greater theoretical than engineering importance.

5.7.3 Applications

5.7.3.1 Motivations

Vibration-damping coatings are often misapplied, which leads to disappointing results. This is symptomatic of the newness of damping as an engineering tool and the general lack of working knowledge and experience. Vibration-damping coatings are not a cure-all for vibration, noise, and fatigue problems. It is still best to reduce excitation forces or "detune" structures, if possible. Vibration-damping coatings cannot significantly reduce forced vibration. They cannot "absorb" sound in the usual sense of the word. Furthermore, some structures for which damping is

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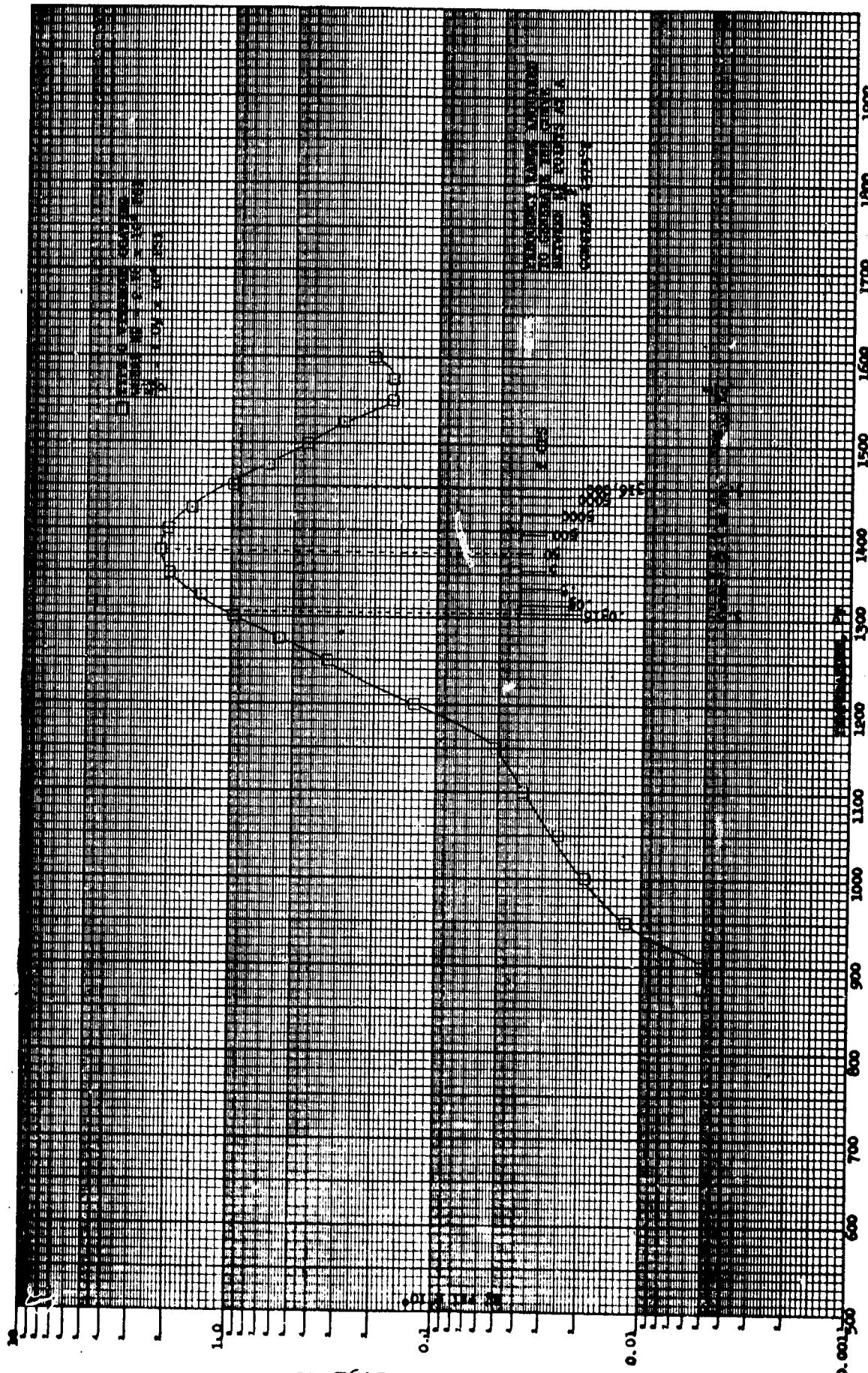
appropriate already possess enough damping, so that additional damping shows little improvement. The following discussion is intended to provide general guide lines for selecting the cases for which a damping coating is appropriate. These criteria apply to both ordinary temperatures and high temperatures.

5.7.3.2 Exciting Forces

Damping may be appropriate if broadband excitation processes have already been reduced to practical minima and objectionable vibration of sheet metal persists. Broadband excitation forces are becoming increasingly common. Examples are jet and rocket noise, aerodynamic noise, and impact noise.

5.7.3.3 Structure Detuning

The classic approach to a structural resonance that responds to a single frequency-excitation force has been a structural change to move the resonance away from the pure-tone exciting frequency (detuning). There are several types of circumstances in which this solution fails. The structure cannot be detuned if the excitation frequency varies or sweeps over a wide range. Many structures, particularly sheet metal, exhibit numerous closely spaced resonances such that detuning is impractical. A particularly troublesome type of vibration is the self-excited vibration in which a feedback mechanism exists. These excitations occur at resonance frequencies, and if structural tuning changes, they may simply move to the new frequency. Numerous aerodynamic excitations and frictional excitations take this form.

5.7.3.4 Structural Transmission

It is not uncommon to find sheet metal in resonant response to remote excitation forces. The driving signal is "telegraphed" through connecting structure. If decoupling (isolation) is not practical, damping may be indicated. Structural resonances can also lead to a significant reduction in acoustic transmission loss. This occurs commonly in thin ducting. Damping can correct such an acoustical "transparency" of the duct. Even if the criteria above seem to apply, the damping inherent in the structure should be considered. Mechanical joints that are bolted or riveted, or even press joints, can contribute significant coulomb damping. Supplemental damping will have appreciable effect only if its value can be quite large compared to the damping inherent in the structure. Other acoustical or thermal treatments such as glass fiber packs often contribute major amounts of damping as a side benefit. Thus, the use of a damping coating in such an area can become redundant.

Except in certain obvious cases of extremely live structures, all-welded sheet-metal structures, etc., it is desirable to evaluate the inherent damping. This may range from a simple knuckle rapping and subjective judgement of tinniness to an elaborate measurement of vibration decay rates and the computation of system damping factors.

If system damping factors due to inherent damping are known, then the effect of supplemental damping may be estimated or calculated by means that are the reverse of those used in processing test data on coatings. Ref. 2, Chapter 9, is devoted to this general topic.

5.7.3.5 Fatigue Failures

Chronic or sporadic fatigue cracking of sheet-metal parts after prolonged operation is an indication that damping is needed. In the case of sheet-metal parts that operate hot, these failures are often complicated by effects of corrosion. The vitreous enamels appear to offer an excellent solution to such combination corrosion and fatigue problems.

The sheet-metal structures in the turbine end of light-weight gas turbines, including jet engines, appear to offer combinations of the above criteria that strongly suggest the usefulness of vitreous damping coatings. Turbine plenums operate at temperatures above 500°F. These have occasionally exhibited fatigue cracks and are known to respond to damping as a means of moderately increasing their high-frequency acoustical transmission loss to the high-intensity noise they contain. They are also subjected to high-velocity airflow with its attendant excitation effects due to turbulence and boundary-layer processes.

Combustor tubes are made of sheet metal and are exposed to high velocity flow of corrosive combustion products. They are frequently subject to cracking. Type C coatings have been successfully used on combustor tubes for many years as corrosion protection. In some cases inadvertent damping must have also been attained but was not clearly recognized. The sheet-metal ducting that conducts the products of combustion to the turbine nozzles is subject to an adverse corrosion and vibration environment. Fatigue failures are common in these areas. Vibration damping by vitreous coatings is strongly indicated.

The accurate evaluation of the possible benefits of vibration damping is often difficult and requires elaborate statistics or careful experimentation to answer the question, "How much do we gain?" The gains are frequently worth while but seldom dramatic or glamorous. In the case of fatigue failures, it may require prolonged field operation and careful overhaul statistics to show that parts designed for a 2,000-hour life show a 99-percent reliability if coated, instead of 88 percent, if uncoated. To predict such a result from prototype tests requires a careful strain-gauge study.

Acoustical benefits are even more difficult to predict. In common with many other acoustical treatments, careful isolation of noise sources is required for true evaluation. This point is so commonly misunderstood that an example is in order.

Suppose a machine such as a gas turbine possesses six noise-generating mechanisms of roughly the same strength. Examples might be the compressor inlet, exhaust duct, body radiation, cooler fan, etc. Now, suppose a separate treatment is designed for each individual noise source that accomplishes its complete silencing. If these are applied one at a time to the gas turbine, each time leaving the other five sources unattenuated, the first conclusion reached would be that none of the silencing devices were any good, since none accomplished a significant noise reduction--this in spite of the fact that the use of all six would render the machine completely silent!

This unhappy error is an everyday occurrence which mars a vast amount of acoustical testing that is not designed with sufficient discrimination. The useful testing of an acoustical component such as a damping coating can be meaningful only if all other extraneous noise processes are eliminated for the purpose of the test.

Another pitfall is the common discrepancy between objective and subjective measurements. This discrepancy seems particularly large in the case of the effects of damping. The measurable differences between the noise in an automobile with a damped vs undamped body structure are small and require careful frequency analysis under well-controlled test conditions to be revealed. Nonetheless, because of subjective judgments of "tinniness," a car with an undamped body is subject to a severe sales handicap. Such subjective factors as this introduce a semi-intuitive aspect into engineering decisions regarding damping.

The commonest criterion for what constitutes a well-damped engineering structure is a system damping factor of 0.01 to 0.1. This is a value typical for wooden structures assembled with mechanical fastenings in which Coulomb damping is present (nails, bolts, etc.). Thus, the criterion for adequate damping is to produce a modern engineering structure that is as well damped as the engineering structures of previous centuries.

6.0 MICROMECHANISMS AND MODELS

6.1 Introduction

The study of carefully selected vibration damping coatings, which was the subject of Section 3.0, was almost purely phenomenological in character. The apparatus and test methods were designed to provide as accurate an evaluation as possible of the damping characteristics of the coatings themselves. Speculative consideration of possible micromechanisms of damping entered only into the selection of the materials tested.

The testing was also limited to low stress levels. Virtually all materials exhibit fairly high damping at high stress levels but only by processes associated with the fatigue and self-destruction of the material. High damping at low stress levels has been shown to be such a rare property of structural materials that it is often designated by the adjective "anomalous."

Now that a few such "anomalous" materials have been shown to exist, the "center of gravity" of future investigations should shift closer to investigation of micromechanisms. Only by a better understanding of the micromechanisms of damping operative in the materials can they be shaped and modified to optimum characteristics, and other useful materials found.

Section 6.2 presents a brief sketch of the various micromechanisms leading to vibration damping.

Section 6.3 presents a brief discussion of what little is known about the micromechanisms acting in the specimens tested. Some of this is almost purely speculative in character. In some cases, not enough is known to provide a basis for speculation.

Section 6.4 deals briefly with the micromechanisms of damping at high stress levels and their relation to fatigue. This vitally important subject deals mainly with nonlinear stress-strain relations. The major tool for studying the damping associated with these processes is the study of the hysteresis loop. Here the study of damping becomes a major research tool. Attempts are made to correlate the magnitudes and shapes of the hysteresis loops with micrographic and X-ray spectrographic observations on the specimens. Finally, these data are considered in a framework of theory generally designated as "dislocation" theory. This entire branch of materials engineering and science is scarcely two decades old.

Section 6.4 also describes briefly the apparent reasons why damping studies have fallen short of expectations in the study of micromechanisms in general and the micromechanisms of fatigue in particular. These shortcomings appear to result from the lack of an adequate mathematical model for the hysteresis loop and, in particular, the nonlinear hysteresis loop.

Section 6.5 is devoted to the sketching of such a mathematical model suggested by analogous difficulties recently overcome in the field of shaft dynamics.

6.2   Some Known Micromechanisms

6.2.1   Anelasticity

A sizable group of micromechanisms that produce linear
damping (elliptical hysteresis loops) in response to low-level
stress or strain inputs is designated by the term "anelasticity."
In general, anelasticity produces rather well-defined peaks at
particular combinations of temperature and frequency. These peaks
are almost always very modest in magnitude. Values of the loss
factor η are limited to less than 0.01, except for slightly higher
values occasionally found in light metals such as aluminum or
magnesium.*

One mechanism for energy dissipation involves heat transfer
from regions heated by compression to other regions less heated
(or even cooled by expansion). These effects may be macroscopic,
such as by heat transfer through a bar, or may be microscopic due
to uneven stresses in a material. The magnitude of such damping
is small and is frequency-dependent.*

The anelastic mechanism that usually produces the largest
damping peak is called "boundary layer viscosity." The molecules
within a grain or crystal are quite regular in their lattice
structure. At the grain boundary, however, an abrupt transition
occurs from one lattice to a differently oriented lattice, and the
arrangement of boundary atoms is disordered in a manner somewhat
analogous to the partial disorder in a vitreous material. At a
particular combination of temperature and frequency a viscous-type
damping can occur.*

*Reference 2

Another anelastic mechanism occurs in various metals and alloys because of magnetostrictive effects. Periodic stress variations produce periodic magnetic fields. These, in turn, induce eddy currents in the material that lead to energy dissipation. This mechanism characteristically vanishes at the Curie point of the material.*

A very rare anelastic mechanism occurs in manganese alloys and zirconium hydride. These materials have a cubic phase and a phase that is only slightly tetragonal. The tetragonal lattice can occur in parallel layers that are minor images of each other. This leads to a "herringbone" appearance on micrographic specimens, as well as characteristic double peaks in X-ray diffraction patterns. Such a structure can show large values of Young's modulus, yet since a "lossy" distortion can occur in which the long axes of the tetragonal units change, anomalous damping occurs.**

Numerous other mechanisms have been isolated as causes for minor anelastic peaks, particularly in metals. The location and identification of these peaks furnish a useful tool to the solid state physicist.

6.2.2 Viscoelasticity

Viscoelasticity is a term commonly applied to quadratic damping mechanisms in which a relaxation mechanism is involved. At high frequencies (or low temperatures), the material acts elastically because there is insufficient time for the relaxation processes to occur. At very low frequencies (or high temperatures) there is plenty of time for the relaxation to be complete, and the material

*Reference 2
**References 7, 14 and 15

is then quite plastic but with a smaller Young's modulus. At intermediate frequencies (or temperatures) a transition occurs in which a large and symmetrical damping peak occurs. In the past, this behavior has been mainly associated with polymeric organic compounds. The microstructure of such polymers consists essentially of long chain modules capable of an endless variety of side or cross linkages. The transition region has been associated with the progressive loosening of the side linkages, with the chain links remaining essentially intact. Vast amounts of data on polymeric materials have been taken, and it is clear how measurements of damping are a valuable tool to the organic physical chemist. The wealth of data on polymeric materials and knowledge of the effects of compounding have led to the present-day abundance of organic vibration damping coating materials.*

6.2.3 Nonlinear Damping

Nonlinear damping produces hysteresis loops that are not elliptical but which usually are pointed figures. Almost always it is associated with higher stress levels. These stress levels are almost always high enough that the material has a finite fatigue life. The detailed mechanisms are multitudinous, complex, and little understood. Examples of attempts to correlate the nonlinear hysteresis loops and micrographic data are the subject of Section 6.3.**

*References 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6
**References 2, 8, and 26

6.3 Micromechanisms in the Specimens Tested

The purpose of this section is to set forth what little is known, plus some speculations, concerning micromechanisms of the damping found in the specimens.

6.3.1 Hastelloy-X

The damping peak exhibited by the bare test bars at temperatures near $1350^{\circ}F$ has been tentatively attributed to grain boundary viscosity. This anelastic mechanism is normally the source of the largest anelastic peaks. The peak damping observed in the Hastelloy-X corresponds to a loss factor η of a little less than 0.01. This is in agreement with Reference 2, which sets 0.01 as a nominal damping limit for η for this type of damping. The straightness of the logarithmic decay curves indicates quadratic dependence on stress amplitude. The temperature of the peak damping agrees with the empirical equicohesive temperature (about 1/2 the melting temperature). The equicohesive temperature is defined as the temperature at which grain strength and grain boundary strength are equal. Below this temperature, fracture occurs across grains. Above this temperature, fracture occurs along grain boundaries. It is therefore quite reasonable to expect viscous effects to manifest themselves in such a transition temperature range.

6.3.2 Vitreous Enamels

In the region of the major damping peak, the behavior of all four vitreous enamels fits the classic model of viscoelasticity. The "E" hump is very symmetrical, which justifies the use of Oberst's frequency temperature relations. The appearance of the

hump coincides with an abrupt decline in stiffness modulus. The loss factor η attains values in excess of unity, as is true of many polymers. The simplest summary seems to be to list (probably) all glasses as viscoelastic materials.

The vitreous enamels were selected for test because of suspicions that this was the state of affairs, as mentioned previously. Vitreous materials are known to have a type of partial disorder in their atomic lattice.* Silicon chains are the counterparts of carbon chains even in such polymeric materials as silicone rubber. Glass has no fixed molecular formula but rather may be compounded in endless variety from a wide selection of oxides in a manner analogous to the freedom with which one modifies the polymers.

Inspection of the vitreous enamel damping below the major peak shows interesting effects. In some cases the results differ between the increasing temperature run and the decreasing temperature run. In one case the stiffness modulus actually increases for the first few hundred degrees of the first run. One may infer that the enamel has not completely stabilized chemically during the rather brief (15 minutes) firing process that originally applied it to the test bar. These transitions show the relation of composition to the width of the damping characteristics and support the hope that stable compositions having broadened characteristics can be found.

The appearance of the minor peaks and plateaus suggests the presence of various types of bonds that loosen at very different temperatures. This would suggest that the approach to broader temperature characteristics is the use of a considerable number

*Reference 21

of ingredients having markedly different bond-loosening temperatures.
This clue may be of value to the glass compounders. It is clear
from the tests that the measurement of damping could serve the
glass industry by indicating, for example, the completeness,
or stability, of the chemical arrangements.

With glass having been classified as a viscoelastic material,
the striking similarities in nomenclature and fabricating technology
between glass and plastics should no longer seem remarkable.

6.3.3 Manganese Alloys

The anomalous damping of the manganese alloys seems explainable
by Zener's model* only up to $300^{\circ}F$.** Above this temperature the
material is supposed to have a purely cubic structure, and the
twining of the slightly tetragonal units is no longer possible.
Thus, what is known about the micromechanisms explains only the
modest initial damping and its minimum at $300^{\circ}F$. The reasons for
the substantially greater damping found as the temperature was
increased must be listed as completely unknown. This temperature
region should provide a challenge to research in these alloys. The
metal spray specimens provide a poor basis for even speculation
because of their probable lack of homogeneity and their uncertain
condition of heat treatment and working.

6.3.4 Aluminum Cermets

The aluminum cermets show lower temperature tendencies
unlike   those of the manganese alloys. Starting from "modest"
damping at room temperature (anomalously high by most standards),

*Reference 15
**Reference 14

they show a tendency to attain a plateau at 300°F and then begin
a slow steady rise. Thus, they show useful damping over a very wide
temperature range. Themicromechanisms that produce this behavior
are not known.

6.4 Micromechanisms and Fatigue

Aside from simple noise control, the chief use for vibration
damping coatings is protection against metal fatigue due to
excitation of resonances. This becomes critically important at
times, partly because fatigue processes are so imperfectly under-
stood and, hence, poorly predictable.

The systematic study of fatigue is a very new science,
dating back, at most, about two decades. Powerful new tools
have become available for these studies. These include the use
of electron microscopy which provides magnification orders of
magnitudes greater than those possible by optical means.

The stress-strain relations that prevail while the fatigue
process proceeds from initial plastic deformation to ultimate
rupture are changing but always nonlinear hysteresis loops. These
have been carefully observed in numerous studies. Certain
tendencies and trends are discernible, and some success has been
attained in correlating these with micrographic observations.

Reference 8 is an example of recent (1960) thorough work in the
field. Numerous carefully prepared specimens of high-purity aluminum
were subjected to prolonged cyclic stress. The changing patterns of
the hysteresis loops were recorded. The surface of the specimens was
studied by both optical and electron-beam micrographs as the

tests proceeded. The enormous magnification made possible by the electron microscope shows in remarkable detail the progress of fatigue from early slip bands to the microscopic cracks that precede rupture. These details are not at all discernible by optical methods.

Figures 6-1, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4, and 6-5, reproduced from Reference 8, are presented as samples of the hundreds that appear in this reference. Figure 6-1 shows typical changes in the hysteresis loop as the number of cycles increases. Figure 6-2 shows the typical surface condition of a specimen before application of cycle stress. Figures 6-3, 6-4, and 6-5 show the progressive fatigues from early slip bands to advanced stages of damage, which would eventually be a microscopic crack.

Concurrent with this type of advanced observations, solid-state physicists are attempting to construct theoretical models of the microprocesses involved. These attempts are designated as dislocation theory. Any discussion of these theories is far beyond the scope of this work. However, interested persons will find a discussion and summary of the present state of dislocation theory, as well as additional references, in Reference 2.

Since the recorded hysteresis loops are quantitative measurements of stress-strain relations and show trends that parallel micrographic observations and features of dislocation theory, it is natural to seek quantitative relations between theory and measured stress-strain patterns. In fact, the term "theory" is not quite properly applied until some quantitative agreements are demonstrated. Serious difficulties as to method have arisen to obstruct these attempts. The difficulty is the lack f an adequate mathematical model for a nonlinear hysteresis loop.

NUMBER OF REVERSED STRESS CYCLES

$\frac{1000 \mu in/in}{0.1\%}$

LONGITUDINAL STRAIN
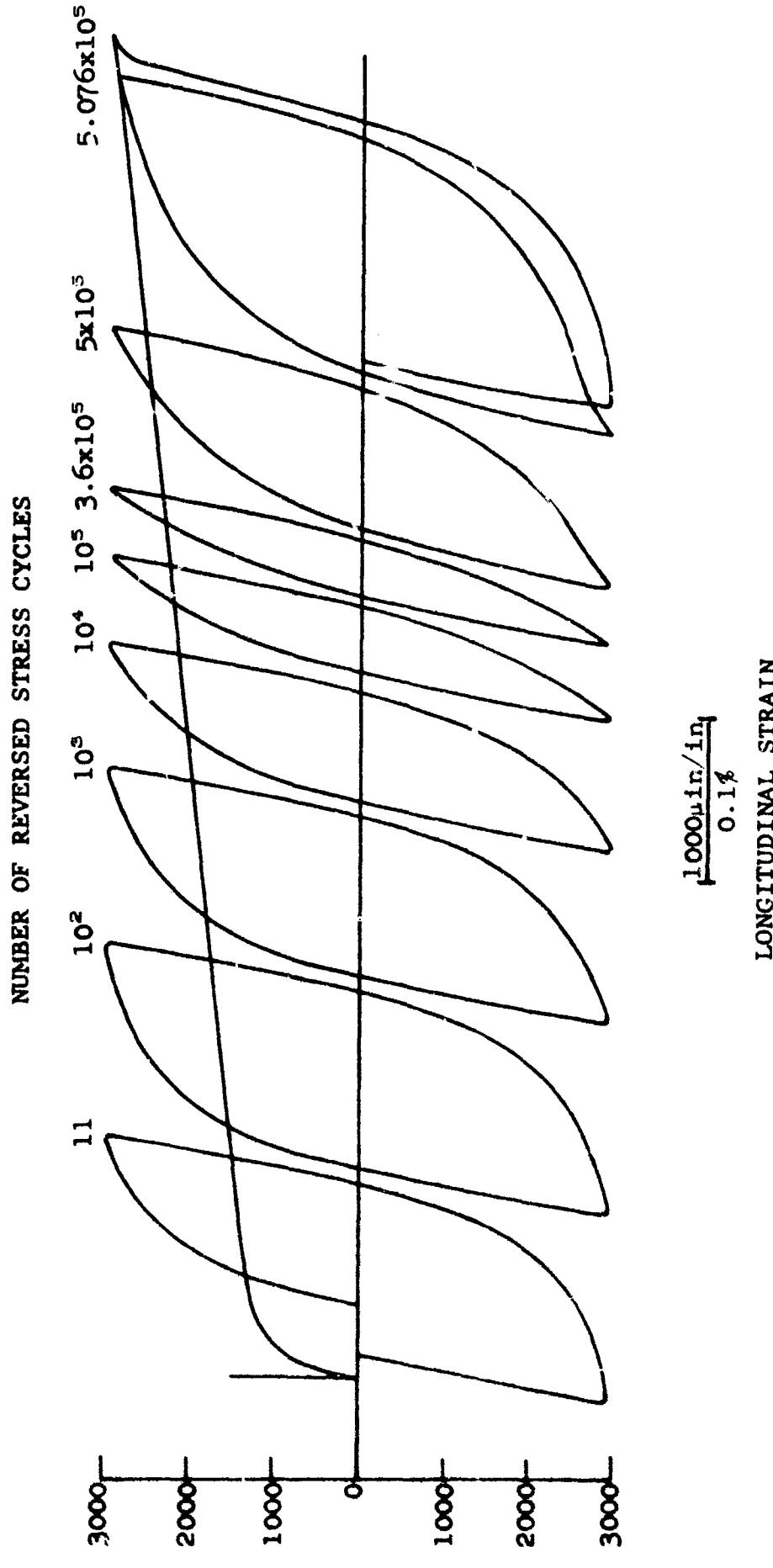
FIGURE 6-1

TYPICAL CHANGES IN STRESS-STRAIN HYSTERESIS LOOPS
OCCURRING WITH TYPE BC SPECIMEN DURING FATIGUE
TEST AT HIGH STRESS AMPLITUDE, ±2940 PSI

(REPRODUCED FROM REFERENCE 8)
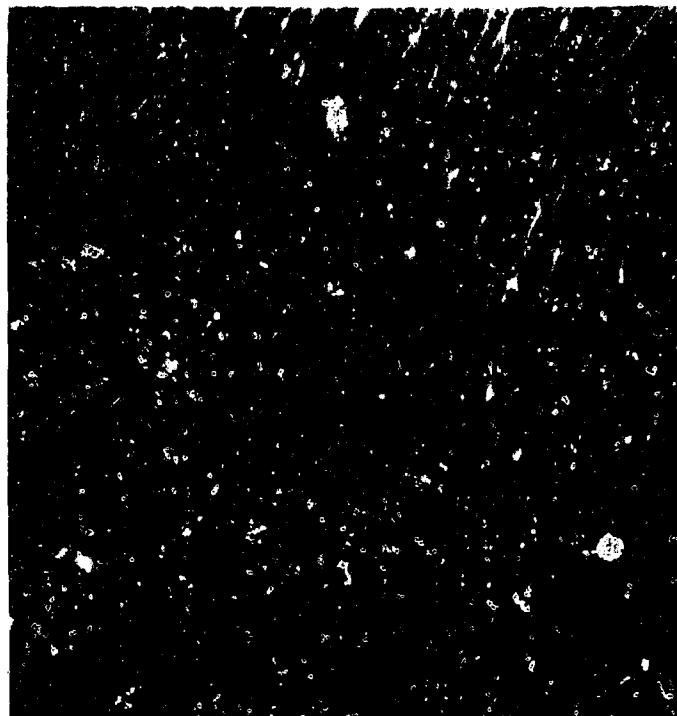
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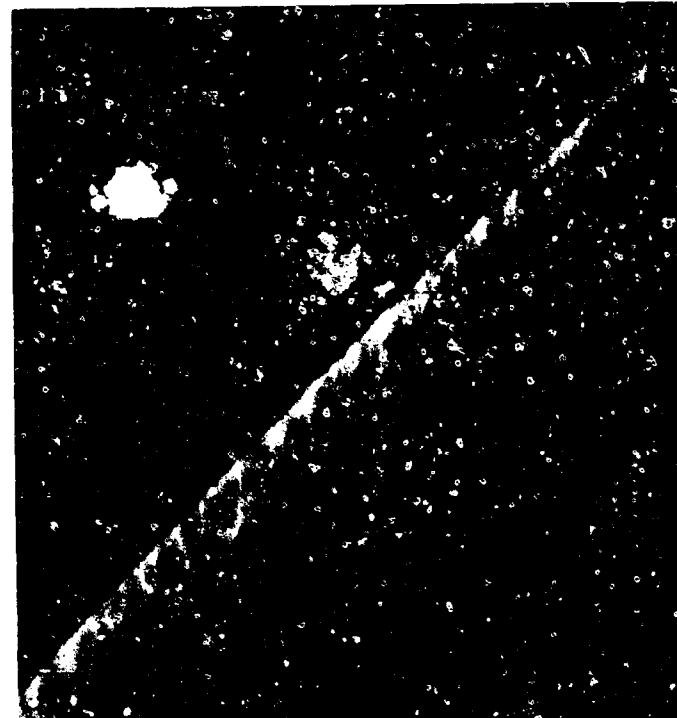
├───┤ 1µ   BE ±900 PSI, 500,000 C   X 8250

FIGURE 6-2
ELECTRON MICROGRAPHS OF CHEMICALLY POLISHED
SPECIMENS SHOWING GRAIN BOUNDARIES
(REPRODUCED FROM REFERENCE 8)

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1μ   X 18,700
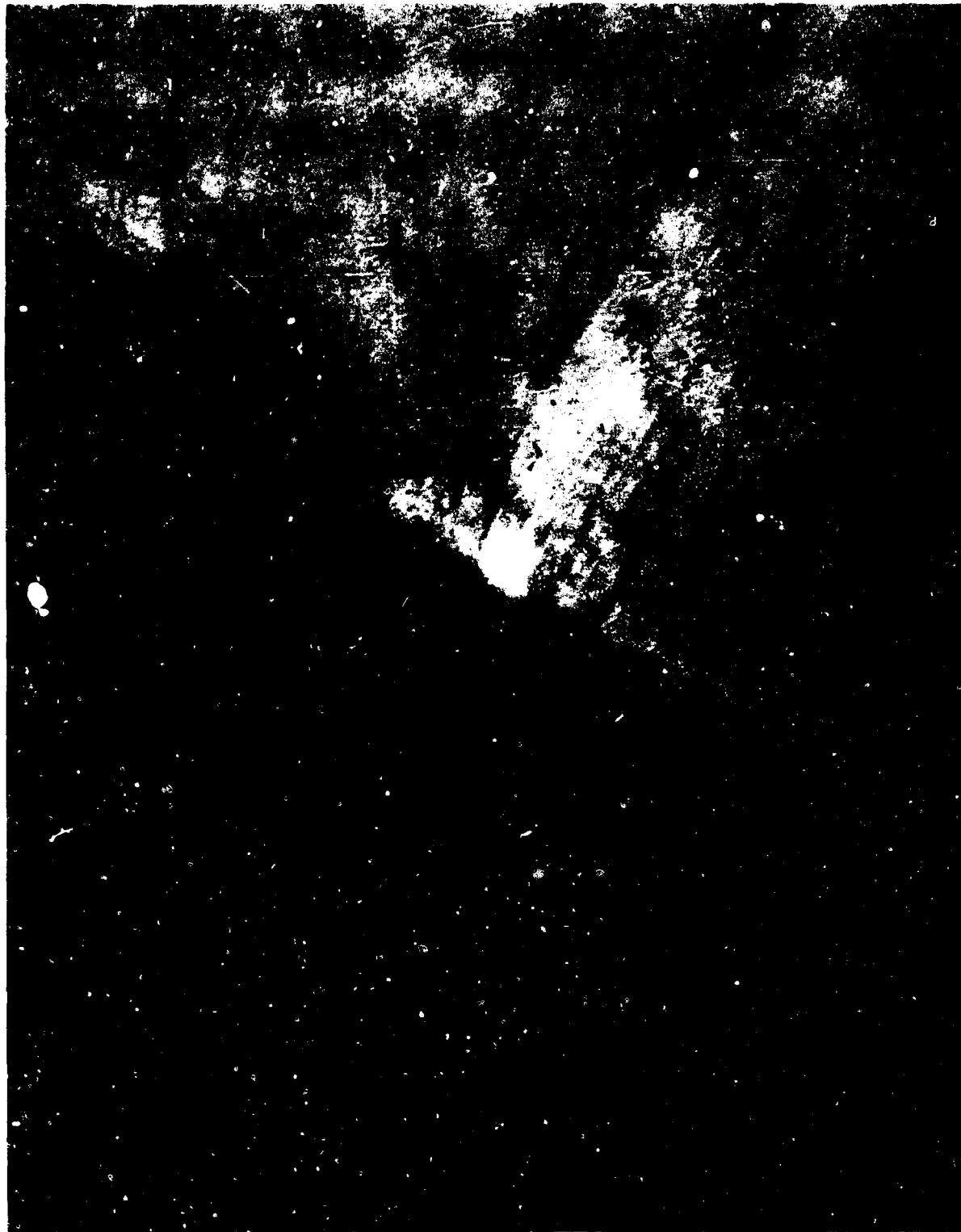
FIGURE 6-3
ELECTRON MICROGRAPH FROM SURFACE REPLICA OF TAPERED SPECIMEN
AT ±2500 PSI LEVEL, AFTER 1000 CYCLES; SHOWING DISPLACEMENT
ON LINES OF A SLIP SYSTEM DUE TO INTERSECTING SLIP BAND
(REPRODUCED FROM REFERENCE 8)

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1μ ⊢————⊣   X 15,500

FIGURE 6-4
ELECTRON MICROGRAPH FROM SURFACE REPLICA OF TAPERED
SPECIMEN AT ±2500 PSI LEVEL, AFTER 10^4 CYCLES;
SHOWING STRUCTURE OF BROAD SLIP BAND AND NEARBY FINE SLIP
(REPRODUCED FROM REFERENCE 8)

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1µ

X 15,500

FIGURE 6-5
ELECTRON MICROGRAPH FROM SURFACE REPLICA OF TAPERED
SPECIMEN AT ±2500 PSI LEVEL, AFTER 10^5 CYCLES; SHOWING
REGIONS OF COARSE SLIP BANDS GIVING EVIDENCE OF EXTRUSIONS
(REPRODUCED FROM REFERENCE 8)

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Professor Lazan describes the lack of such equations in these words.*

"Unfortunately, general rheological equations for defining stress-strain-time relations of material are unavailable in almost all cases. Only under restricted conditions, such as for linear viscoelasticity, is such an approach now feasible. Even if general rheological equations were available for the more general types of materials systems, which are usually nonlinear, they would probably be too complicated to be mathematically tractable. Only in relatively few cases can rheological equations be found that are general, valid (that is, compatible with engineering realistics), and also mathematically tractable."

It is pointed out in the following section that an apparently suitable mathematical model capable of representing any hysteresis loop has existed for about 2,000 years--in elegantly refined form for over a century.

*Reference   2   Chapter 2

6.5 Rheological Epicycles

6.5.1 Introduction

6.5.1.1 The Need for a Stress-Strain-Time Equation

"An explicit stress-strain-time equation, if it exists, would provide a particularly powerful approach for studying rheological behavior under complicated stress histories involving many loadings and unloadings . . . . Unfortunately, all efforts to describe the rheological properties of solid materials by explicit stress-strain-time equations of this type have, with very few and highly restricted exceptions, been unsuccessful."*

The very few and highly restricted exceptions to which Professor Lazan refers include the following stress-strain-time rheological equations:

A.   Perfect elasticity:

$$\frac{stress}{strain} = E_0 = Young's\ modulus$$

B.   Quadratic damping independent of time:

$$\frac{stress}{strain} = E' + iE''$$

C.   Quadratic damping which may be dependent on rate or temperature:

$$\frac{stress}{strain} = E'(\omega T) + iE''(\omega T)$$

ω = circular frequency

T = temperature

*Reference 2; Chapter 1.

Case C represents viscoelasticity and anelasticity. Both generate elliptical hysteresis loops, the geometry of which depends on frequency and temperature. Case C includes A and B as special cases.

In all cases the moduli may also be long-range functions of other variables such as stress history, magnetic fields, and the like.

The bulk of the materials or systems of engineering interest is nonlinear. These generate hysteresis loops that are pointed even for sinusoidal inputs. They can also be unsymmetrical. For Coulomb-type damping mechanisms, such as dry friction, they can be quadrilateral in shape.

These have been stone walls that have defied satisfactory representation as functions of stress-strain-time, not to mention temperature, stress history, etc.

6.5.1.2 Prior Attempts to Derive the Equation

The attempts that have been made to represent the hysteresis loops as stress-strain functions are discussed by Professor Lazan in Chapter 4 of Reference 2. These include the Davidenkov representation and the very similar expressions of Halford and Morrow.

These expressions appear to be clever curve fittings. The loading and unloading branches of the hysteresis loops must be dealt with separately. As a result of their empirical nature, they must at best be approximate and lack the physical meaning essential for them to be truly useful.

6.5.1.3 Requirements

To meet the need indicated above, a stress-strain-time relation is required that is capable of representing the hysteresis loop resulting from any stress or strain wave-shape input in the presence of any arbitrary preload. The same expression should represent any part of either branch of the hysteresis loop. Above all, it should be both mathematically tractable and capable of meaningful physical interpretation and, hence, representation by physical models. If its parameters are simple and relatively few in number, then chances are increased that they can be expressed as functions of temperature and the long-range variables. These parameters should be amenable to simple, direct measurement and geometric representation. Finally, the general expression must include all previously solved cases (cases A, B, and C above) as special cases.

6.5.1.4 The Need for Communication

"Although communication within a given field is generally reasonably effective, communication among different disciplines, which often utilize different nomenclatures, is generally quite difficult."*

Once such communication is established, the various branches of natural science profitably borrow mathematical models from each other. For example, the wave equation is common to optics, mechanics, electricity, and acoustics. The pure mathematician is frequently the contact man between the various sciences.

The acoustician is also strategically disposed to serve as a contact, since his science is a hybrid of nearly all the others.

*Reference 2, Chapter 2.

In industry, sound and vibration are frequently lumped together as a single activity. This is quite natural, since the instruments and concepts are much the same. Vibration may be regarded as sound that is not yet airborne, and a vibrating machine can be considered to be merely a peculiar type of loudspeaker.

This customary lumping of activity is true at AiResearch. For turbomachinery builders, most vibration problems originate as symptoms of complex shaft-dynamics problems.

6.5.1.5 A New Approach

A routine procedure in the study of anomalous shaft motions is to display them as Lissajous figures such as those shown in Figure 6-6.

The simpler patterns frequently bear a resemblance to hysteresis loops--i.e., elipses, double-pointed loops, or quadrilaterals. For many years, these figures (shaft excursions) were also considered too complex to respond to any simple mathematical representation.

Within the last decade the work of Professor Tashio Yamamoto of Nagoya University, Japan (Ref. 35), has resulted in a simple and lucid representation for such figures. Furthermore, the representation is derived as the explicit solution of Newtonian equations.

The essence of this representation is the superposition of simple circular motions (precessions). Each may progress in either the positive or negative direction and have any angular velocity. The most complex of the motions shown in Figure 6-6 may be readily resolved into a very few such precessions.
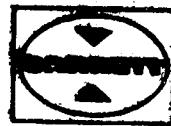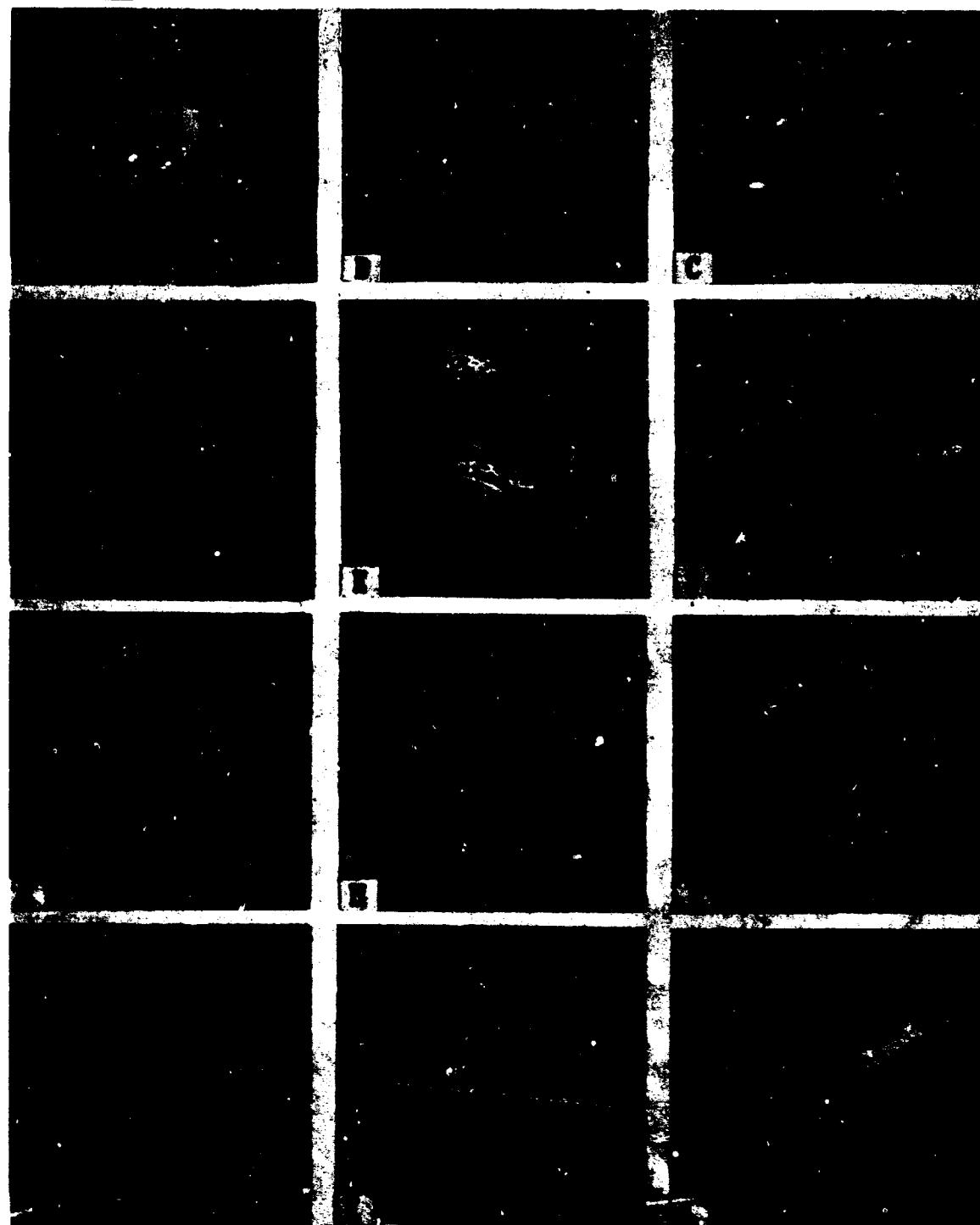
SHAFT MOTIONS

FIGURE 6-6

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An interesting feature of these superimposed motions is the fact that they are mathematically indistinguishable from the nearly 2,000-year-old kinematic system known as the Epicycles of Ptolemy.

Ptolemy kinematically explained the apparently erratic motions of the planets as the superposition of circular motions of various frequencies and directions. Such a kinematic model is in reality closely related to Fourier analysis, but is much more general, since no restrictions need be placed on the frequencies.

6.5.1.6 Rheological Epicycles

The demonstrable rigorous correctness of representing a two-dimensional locus of any shape as a summation of epicycles, plus their usefulness in representing complicated loci in the field of shaft dynamics, assures in advance that hysteresis loops can be represented as a sum of epicycles.

Since hysteresis loops are very simple figures as compared to those generated by shafts, the number of epicycles required should be quite limited.

From this representation, it is easy to exhibit some remarkable facts about hysteresis loops, some of which may not have been clearly realized before. Section 6.5.2 is devoted to exhibiting an epicyclic representation and deriving such properties of the hysteresis loop as follows:

(a) Damping occurs only by the interaction of harmonic components present in both stress (strain) input and the strain(stress) response.

(b) The motion of the point that generates an elliptical hysteresis loop obeys Kepler's second law.

(c) The dynamic modulus of a viscoelastic material has a dual character (i.e., there are two related dynamic moduli).

(d) An epicyclic representation converges rapidly, so only a few terms are needed even in the extreme case of a square hysteresis loop (coulombic damping) used as an example. These parameters are easy to obtain experimentally and have a straightforward electrical analogy.

(e) Neither sinusoidal stress inputs nor sinusoidal strain inputs generate a hysteresis loop that truly exhibits the rheological properties of a material. Neither can lead to a unique representation.

In spite of this elegance and apparent usefulness, the representation evolved proved to suffer one major weakness--i.e., it does not provide a set of parameters that are unique. This disappointment was foreshadowed by the fact that Ptolemy's epicycles, although kinematically beyond reproach, represented an earth-centered system rather than a sun-centered system, although they could equally well have represented a heliocentric model.

Late in this exercise it was realized that an equivalent unique formulation existed in the form of power series. This formulation has been only partially explored but appears to remove the defects of the Ptolemaic representation of Section 6.5.2 and yet includes all its advantages. In Section 6.5.2 some of the following properties of the final formulation that are shown are:

(a) At any point in time a material specimen may be represented by a unique set of a few parameters such that the hysteresis loop resulting from any input may be predicted.

(b) The stress history may be traced as the history of the parameters.

(c) These parameters cannot be deduced from stress-strain tests as they have been conducted in the past.

(d) The unique set of parameters for nonlinear materials leads to a representation that degenerates properly--i.e., produces essentially quadratic damping at low stress and exhibits progressively greater distortion as the stress levels increase.

The type of interrelation that exists between stress-strain-time and the long-range and environmental variables has counterparts in several other fields. Nonlinear hysteresis loops occur in magnetics, electricity, mechanics, acoustics, etc. In these fields the inadequacy of single-input experiments to define the system characterisitcs has been repeatedly recognized (see Reference 36). It is therefore hoped that the epicyclic representation can prove useful in any field that must cope with time-dependent nonlinear hysteresis loops.

6.5.2 A Ptolemaic Formulation

6.5.2.1 Parametric Equations

In any material, stress is a function of strain, and vice versa. In such a case, the most natural representation is by means of parametric relations.

$$\epsilon = F_1(\sigma) \tag{6-1}$$

$$\sigma = F_2(\epsilon) \tag{6-2}$$

So,

$$\epsilon = F_3(\theta) \tag{6-3}$$

$$\sigma = F_4(\theta) \tag{6-4}$$

where θ is a parameter. For time-independent cases, a convenient parameter is a polar angle. For any time-dependent case we set

$$\theta = \omega t \tag{6-5}$$

6.5.2.2 Complex Notation

The representation for hysteresis loops which is formulated is basically a vector representation. For this purpose it proves to be convenient to utilize the isomorphism of two-dimensional vectors and complex-number algebra. The complex stress-strain plane is therefore established as follows:

$$Z' = \epsilon' + i\sigma' \tag{6-6}$$

It should be emphasized that the complex-number notation is chosen purely to facilitate vector manipulation and has no other significance.

Materials engineers are accustomed to a real stress-strain plane for all types of hysteresis loops. To discuss anelasticity or viscoelasticity, however, they resort to complex notation in order to cope with a dynamic modulus

$$E^* = E' + iE'' = E' \,(1 + i\eta) \tag{6-7}$$

This creates a second plane having coordinates E' and iE'' to supplement the real ϵ, σ plane.

One of the conveniences of a complex stress-strain plane is the fact that E^* may also be presented in this same plane.

The creation of the complex stress-strain plane encounters one difficulty. The physical units of stress and strain are different, and as a result, the physical units of any vector that is not parallel to a coordinate axis are not consistent. This defect is equally present in a real stress-strain plane whenever significance is attached to the length of oblique lines such as the various moduli (see Figure 3.14 in Reference 2).

The obvious solution to this difficulty is normalization to dimensionless stress (strain is already dimensionless). This may be accomplished in a variety of ways. In this presentation the stress is normalized by dividing it by the absolute value of the dynamic modulus of the material. Thus, unit strain is associated with unit stress, which is dimensionless. How this applies to nonlinear materials will become evident later.

At this point the primes are dropped to signify that the normalization of the coordinates axes has been accomplished.

$$Z = \epsilon + i\sigma \qquad (6\text{-}8)$$

where

$$\sigma = \frac{\sigma'}{|E^*|} \qquad (6\text{-}9)$$

A hysteresis loop is now a closed locus of Z in the ϵ, σ plane as shown in Figure 6-7.

6.5.2.3 A Rheological Theorem

6.5.2.3.1 Theorem I

Given any closed hysteresis loop that is periodically traced in the complex plane $Z = \epsilon + i\sigma$, then it may be represented as being traced by the tip of a moving vector $\overline{H}$ where

$$\overline{H} = \sum_{n=0}^{n=\infty} \overline{R}_n e^{in\theta} + \overline{\mathcal{R}}_n e^{-in\theta} \qquad (6\text{-}10)$$

$$\overline{R}_n = R_n e^{i\alpha_n} \qquad (6\text{-}11)$$

$$\overline{\mathcal{R}}_n = \mathcal{R}_n e^{i\beta_n} \qquad (6\text{-}12)$$

R_n, $\mathcal{R}_n$, α_n, β_n are all real arbitrary constants. θ is a polar angle that may be set equal to ωt where

$$\omega = 2\pi f \qquad (6\text{-}13)$$

$$t = \text{time}$$

The term f is the fundamental frequency for the periodic traverse of the locus (see Figure 6-7).
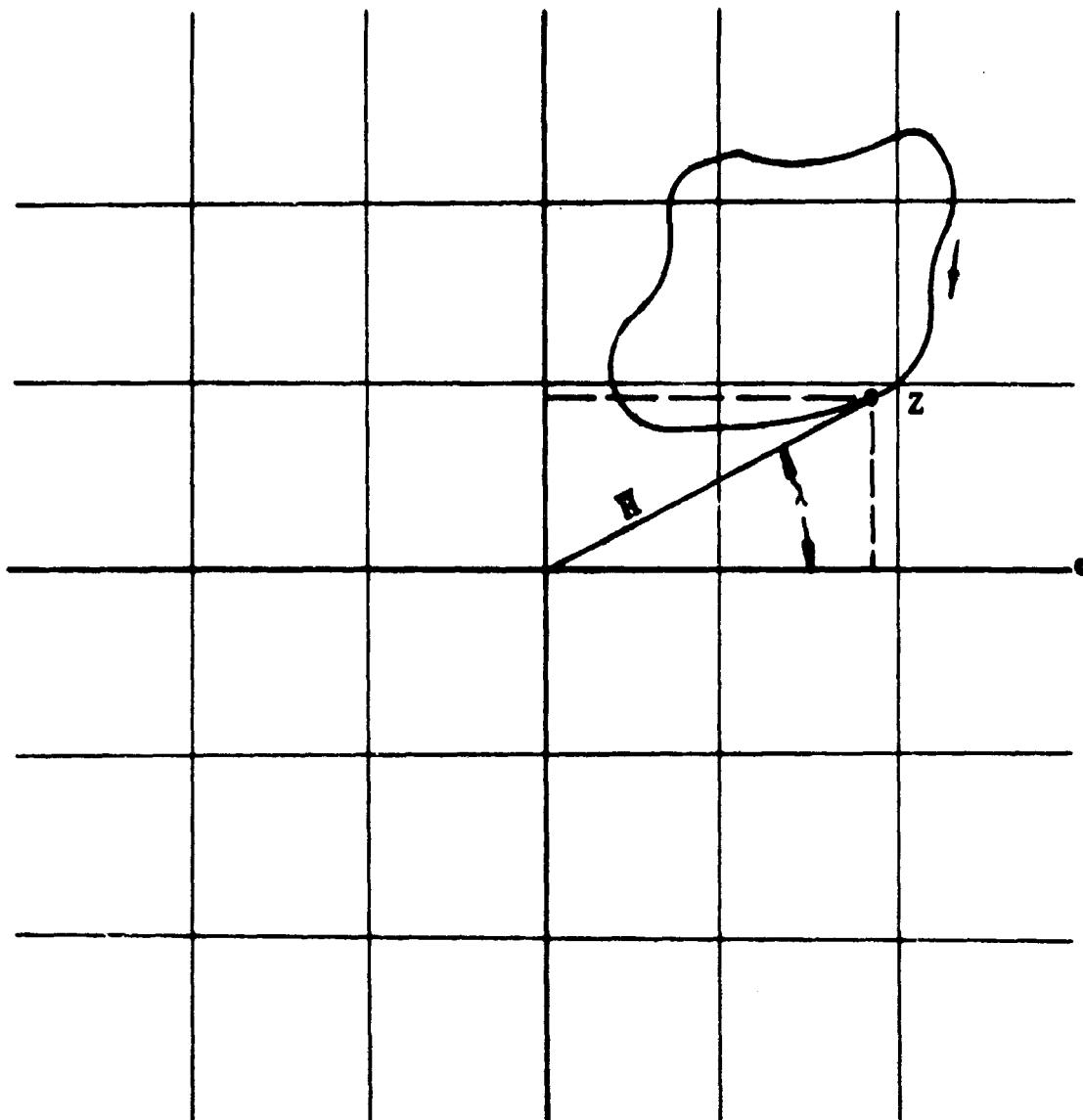
FIGURE 6-7

**AN ARBITRARY HYSTERESIS LOOP
IN A COMPLEX PLANE**

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6.5.2.3.2 Notes on the Theorem

This theorem simply states that any physically realizable closed hysteresis loop resulting from any arbitrary periodic stress or strain input with any preload may be expressed as the sum of a series of n paired counterrotating vectors. Each of these vectors has a constant length, R_n or $Я_n$, rotates with a constant angular velocity, $n\omega$ or $-n\omega$, and has a particular initial angular displacement, α_n or β_n, at time zero.

R_n, $Я_n$, α_n, and β_n are to be regarded as short-term steady-state constants. They may be functions of long-term variables such as temperature and stress history.

The vectors $\overline{R}_n$ rotate in the positive (counterclockwise) direction, since $n\omega$ is positive.

The vectors $\overline{Я}_n$ rotate in the negative (clockwise) direction, since $-n\omega$ is negative.

The symbol $Я$ is a Russian letter pronounced "ya" and is chosen because its shape, a backward R, suggests its rotation in the backward direction.

It will be shown in later sections that the vectors $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{Я}_n$ have a simple physical meaning leading to simple model representation and to a simple electrical analog representation. As a result, they lead to certain striking conclusions concerning energy relations that may have been overlooked in the past. Finally, the representation seems to settle once and for all the classic controversy over whether it is better to use stress inputs or strain inputs.

6.5.2.3.3 An Informal Proof of the Theorem

In Figure 6-7, the point Z, which is the tip of a radius vector $\bar{H}$, traces out the arbitrary closed loop in a periodic manner in the normalized $\epsilon + i\sigma$ plane. The radius vector $\bar{H}$, in general, has a variable length and a variable angular velocity. As is evident from the figure, the locus of the tip of $\bar{H}$ is the locus of the complex number $\epsilon + i\sigma$, that is:

$$\bar{H} = \epsilon + i\sigma \qquad (6\text{-}14)$$

Since the locus of the tip of $\bar{H}$ is traversed periodically, both ϵ and $i\sigma$ are periodic functions of θ and may be written as Fourier series. Fourier series may be written in many forms, including the rather straightforward forms shown below.

$$\epsilon(\theta) = \sum_{n=0}^{n=\infty} \epsilon_n \cos(n\theta + \psi_n) \qquad (6\text{-}15)$$

$$i\sigma(\theta) = i \sum_{n=0}^{n=\infty} \sigma_n \sin(n\theta + \phi_n) \qquad (6\text{-}16)$$

But by the identities shown in Appendix 1,

$$\cos(n\theta + \psi_n) = \frac{1}{2}\left[e^{i(n\theta+\psi_n)} + e^{-i(n\theta+\psi_n)} \right] \qquad (6\text{-}17)$$

$$i \sin(n\theta + \phi_n) = \frac{1}{2}\left[e^{i(n\theta+\phi_n)} - e^{-i(n\theta+\phi_n)} \right] \qquad (6\text{-}18)$$

These identities show that the trigonometric functions them-
selves may be expressed as the sum of two counterrotating vectors.
For each value of n there are four such vectors:

$$\frac{\epsilon_n}{2} e^{i(n\theta + \psi_n)} \qquad\qquad \frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{i(n\theta + \phi_n)}$$

$$\frac{\epsilon_n}{2} e^{-i(n\theta + \psi_n)} \qquad\qquad -\frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{-i(n\theta + \phi_n)}$$

These may be combined into a single positive rotating and
single negative rotating vector simply by addition. These sums
serve as the definition of the vectors $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{\mathcal{R}}_n$.

$$\overline{R}_n e^{in\theta} = \frac{\epsilon_n}{2} e^{i(n\theta + \psi_n)} + \frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{i(n\theta + \phi_n)} \tag{6-19}$$

$$\overline{\mathcal{R}}_n e^{-in\theta} = \frac{\epsilon_n}{2} e^{-i(n\theta + \psi_n)} - \frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{-i(n\theta + \phi_n)} \tag{6-20}$$

Thus,

$$\overline{H} = \epsilon + i\sigma = \sum_{n=0}^{n=\infty} \overline{R}_n e^{in\theta} + \overline{\mathcal{R}}_n e^{-in\theta} \tag{6-21}$$

6.5.2.4 Kinematics

6.5.2.4.1 The Zero-Order Vectors

It is evident that the zero-order vectors $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{\mathfrak{R}}_0$ are nonrotating and when added represent any initial preload. Thus, the preload is a stationary vector which serves to shift the center of the coordinates axes (see Figure 6-8). It is convenient here to consider $\overline{H}$ as the sum of components $\overline{H}_n$.

$$\overline{H} = \sum_{n=0}^{n=\infty} \overline{H}_n \tag{6-22}$$

where

$$\overline{H}_n = \overline{R}_n e^{in\theta} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_n e^{-in\theta} \tag{6-23}$$

$$\overline{H}_0 = \overline{R}_0 + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_0 \tag{6-24}$$

It can also be shown that

$$R_0 e^{i\alpha_0} = \mathfrak{R}_0 e^{i\beta_0} \tag{6-25}$$

Hence, $R_0 = \mathfrak{R}_0$ and $\alpha_0 = \beta_0$

To simplify the exposition, henceforth consider no preload to be present; i.e.,

$$\overline{H}_0 = 0,$$

and proceed to examine the nature of a typical $\overline{H}_n$ term

$$\overline{H}_n = \overline{R}_n e^{in\theta} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_n e^{-in\theta} \tag{6-26}$$

$$\overline{H}_o = \overline{R}_o + \overline{\mathcal{H}}_o$$
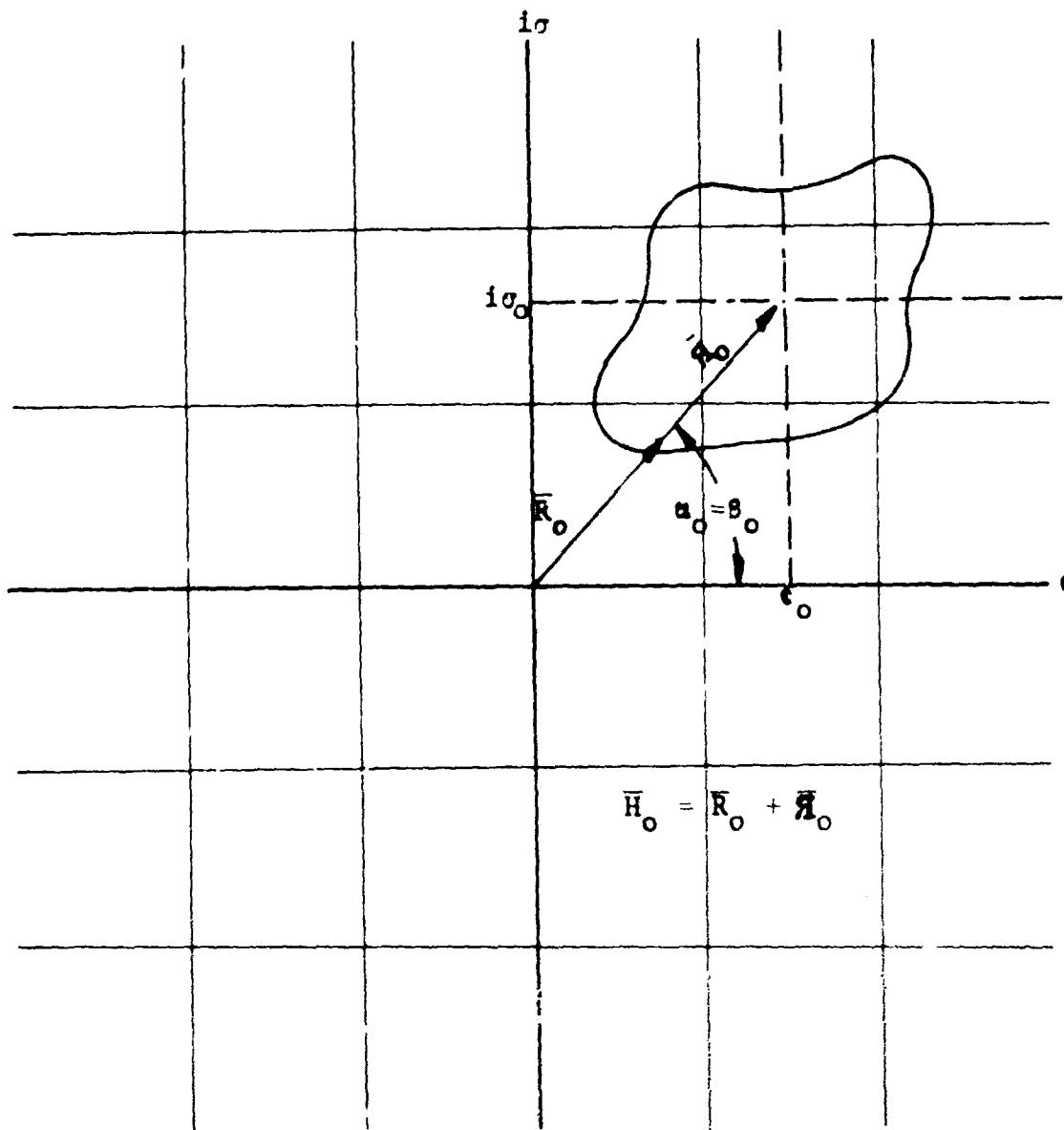
FIGURE 6-8

THE ZERO ORDER TERM WHICH
REPRESENTS THE PRELOAD

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6.5.2.4.2 The nth Order Vector

For any "loss y" material, stress leads strain by some angle δ. It is not possible to show δ directly in the real stress-strain plane.

In the complex stress-strain plane, $\bar{R}_n$ is formed as the sum of the positive rotating stress component vector and the positive rotating strain component vector.

$$\bar{R}_n = \frac{\epsilon_n}{2} e^{(i\psi_n)} + \frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{(i\phi_n)} \qquad (6\text{-}27)$$

The angle between these two components of $\bar{R}_n$ is

$$\phi_n - \psi_n = \frac{\pi}{2} + \delta_n > \frac{\pi}{2} \qquad (5\text{-}28)$$

as shown in Figure 6-9.

The vector $\bar{\mathcal{A}}_n$ is formed as the sum of the negative rotating stress component vector and the negative rotating strain component vector

$$\bar{\mathcal{A}}_n = \frac{\epsilon_n}{2} e^{-in\psi_n} - \frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{-in\phi_n} \qquad (6\text{-}29)$$
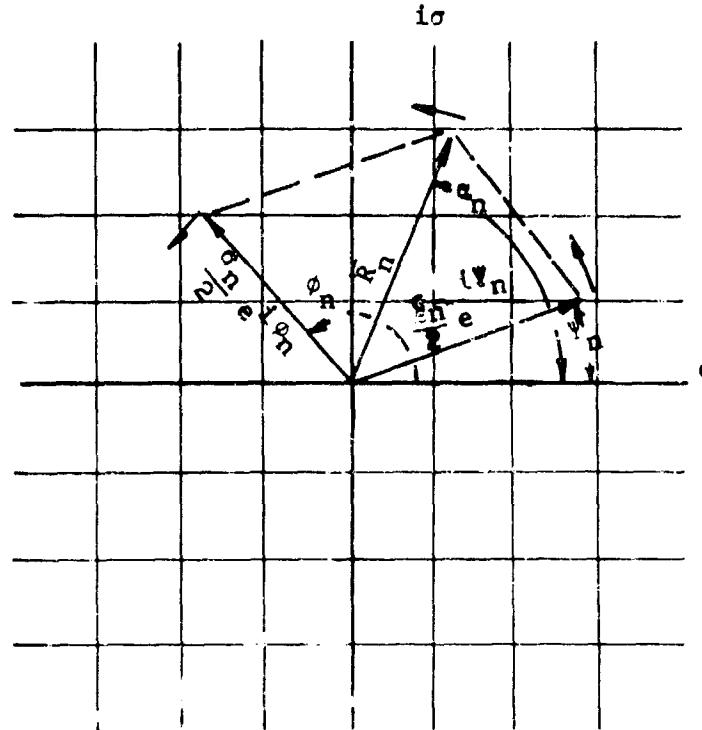
FIGURE 6-9

THE COMPONENTS OF $\overline{R}_n$ AT $t = 0$
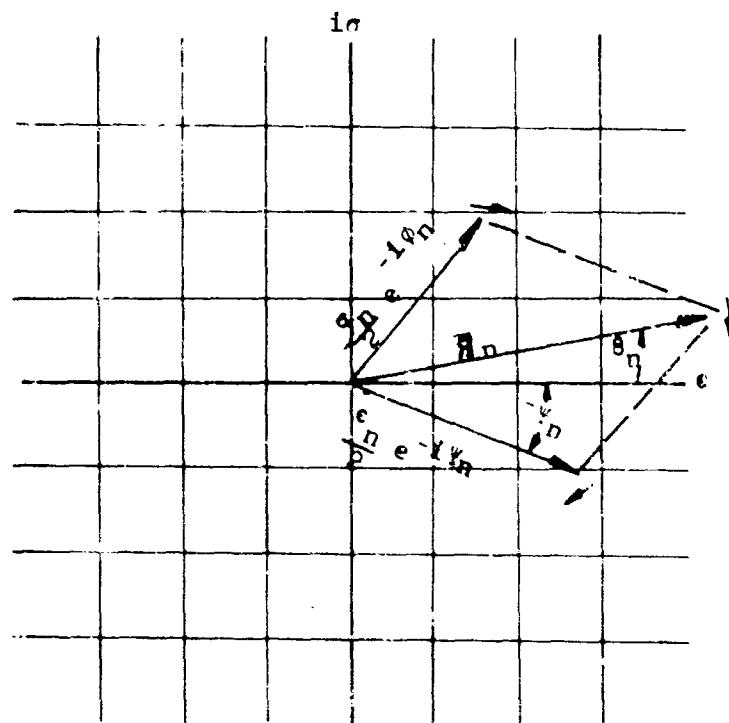
FIGURE 6-10

THE COMPONENTS OF $\overline{R}_n$ AT $t = 0$

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As can be seen in Figure 6-10, the stress component again leads the strain component (stress vector attains the vertical before the strain vector attains the horizontal as the pair rotate in the clockwise direction).

The angle between them is _less_ than $\frac{\pi}{2}$.

$$\psi_n - \phi_n = \frac{\pi}{2} - \delta \quad < \frac{\pi}{2} \tag{6-30}$$

Thus, stress leads strain by the same amount for either direction. Also, $\bar{R}$ and $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}$ are both formed from components having the same absolute values. The angle between the positive rotating component vectors is always obtuse. The angle between the negative components is always acute. Therefore,

$$\mathfrak{R}_n > \mathfrak{R}_n$$

if energy is dissipated by the nth term. Careful inspection of Figures 6-9 and 6-10 will clarify this point.
Recall that

$$\bar{R}_n = R_n \, e^{i\alpha_n} \tag{6-32}$$

$$\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_n = \mathfrak{R}_n \, e^{i\theta_n} \tag{6-33}$$

If
$$\theta = \omega t \tag{6-34}$$

it is clear that the tip of $\bar{R}_n \, e^{in\theta}$ sweeps out a circle (epicycle) at constant angular velocity, $n\theta = n\omega t$, in the positive (counterclockwise) direction.

Similarly, $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_n \, e^{-in\theta}$ sweeps out a circle of radius $\mathfrak{R}_n$ at constant angular velocity $-n\omega t$ (i.e., in the clockwise direction).

$$H_n = \mathbb{R}_n \, e^{in\theta} + \bar{\mathfrak{R}}_n \, e^{-in\theta} \tag{6-35}$$

must therefore generate an ellipse having semimajor axis $R_n + \mathfrak{R}_n$ and semiminor $R_n - \mathfrak{R}_n$, since it was shown $\mathfrak{R}_n \leqslant \mathbb{R}_n$. These elipses generated by $\bar{H}_n$ include as special cases the circle (if $R_n = 0$, or $\mathfrak{R}_n = 0$) and the straight line (if $R_n = \mathfrak{R}_n$).

Since

$$H \triangleq \sum_{n=0}^{n} H_n, \tag{6-36}$$

it is clear that the most nonlinear hysteresis loop may be resolved into the sum of n linear elliptical hysteresis loops.

6.5.2.4.3 The Semi-Major Axis

It is evident from Figure 6-11 that at some particular time t_n the counterrotating vectors $\bar{R}_n$ and $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_n$ will have the same direction angle (often called the "argument"), and this angle must be the average of α_n and β_n. It is also evident from the figure that

$$\frac{\alpha_n + \beta_n}{2} \tag{6-37}$$

is always the angle of inclination for the principal axis of the nth ellipse.

$$e^{i(n\theta + \alpha_n)} = e^{-i(n\theta - \beta_n)} \tag{6-38}$$
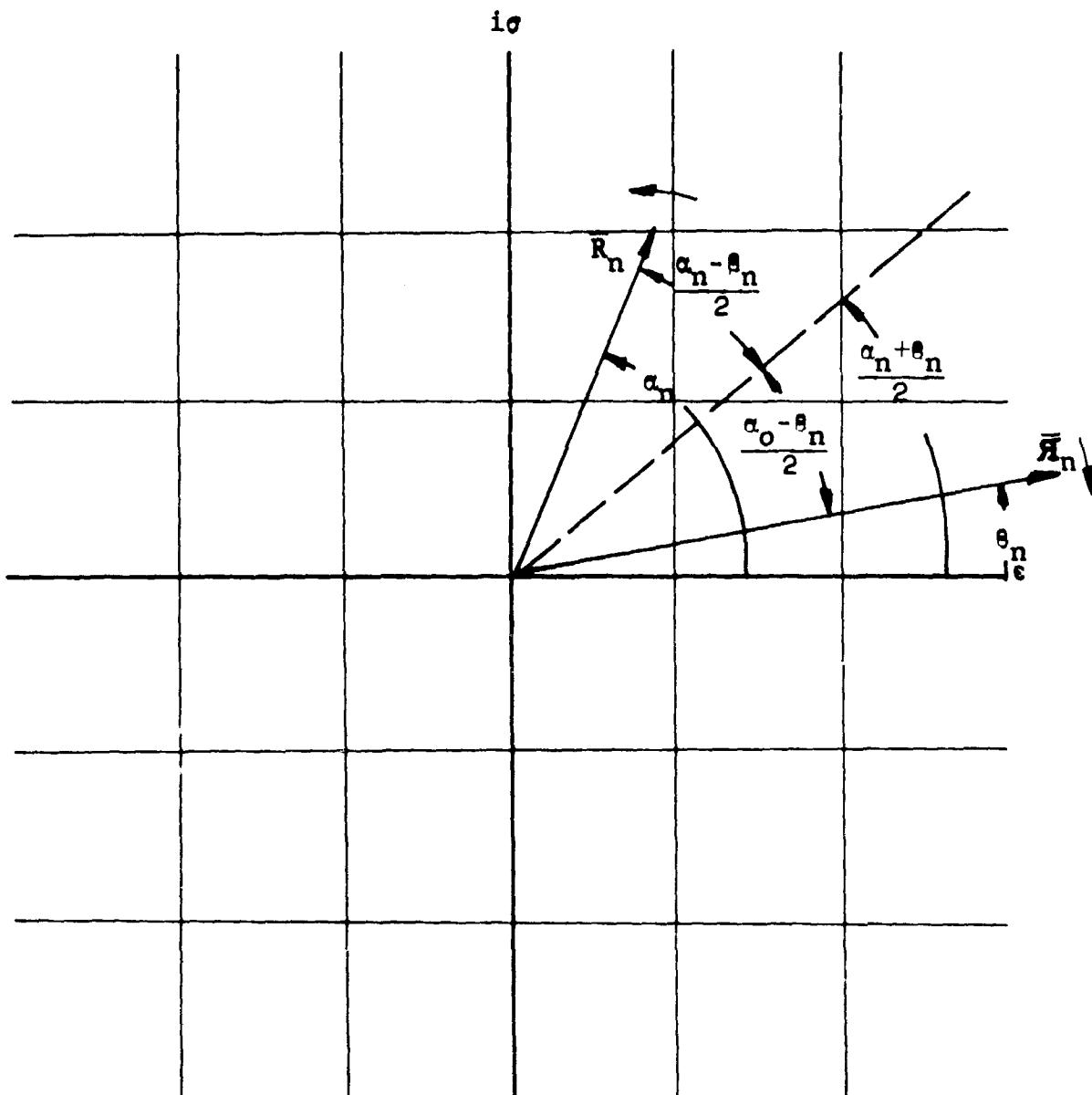
FIGURE 6-11

ANGULAR RELATIONS OF $\bar{R}_n$ AND $\bar{A}_n$

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This occurs when

$$n\theta = \frac{\beta_n - \alpha_n}{2} = n\omega t \tag{6-39}$$

6.5.2.4.4 Kepler's Second Law

The motion of the point that generates any elliptical hysteresis loop obeys Kepler's second law. This conclusion may have been overlooked in the past.

As the tip of $\overline{H}_n$ sweeps out the ellipse, both its angular velocity and length must vary. Kepler's second law, formulated to describe the motion of planets around the sun in their elliptical orbits, states that the motion varies in such a way that the radius vector sweeps out equal areas in equal intervals of time. This is sometimes stated as follows:

Areal velocity = constant

It is clear that the areal velocity of either $R_n\, e^{in\theta}$ or $\mathcal{R}_n\, e^{-in\theta}$ is constant, since their lengths and angular velocities are constant. It is therefore intuitively plausible that their resultant

$$\overline{H}_n = \overline{R}_n\, e^{in\theta} + \overline{\mathcal{R}}_n\, e^{-in\theta}$$

should also have a constant areal velocity.

This may be proved by the use of vector cross-product notation.

$$\overline{H}_n = R_n\, e^{i(n\theta + \alpha_n)} + \Re_n\, e^{-i(n\theta - \beta_n)} \tag{6-40}$$

$$d\overline{H}_n = nR_n\, e^{i(n\theta + \alpha_n + \frac{\pi}{2})}\, d\theta + n\Re_n\, e^{-i(n\theta - \beta_n + \frac{\pi}{2})}\, d\theta \tag{6-41}$$

$$\overline{H}_n \times d\overline{H}_n = (n\, R_n{}^2 - n\Re_n{}^2)\, d\theta \tag{6-42}$$
$$+ n\, R_n\, \Re_n\, \sin\left(-2n\theta + \beta_n - \alpha_n - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)\, d\theta$$
$$+ n\, \Re_n\, R_n\, \sin\left(2n\theta - \beta_n + \alpha_n + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)\, d\theta$$

$$\overline{H}_n \times d\overline{H}_n = (R_n{}^2 - \Re_n{}^2)\, nd\theta \tag{6-43}$$

$$d(\text{area}) = dA = \frac{1}{2}\left(\overline{H}_n \times d\overline{H}_n\right) = \frac{1}{2}\left(R_n{}^2 - \Re_n{}^2\right) nd\theta \tag{6-44}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2}\left(R_n{}^2 - \Re_n{}^2\right) \int_0^{2\pi} nd\theta \tag{6-45}$$

$$A = \pi R_n{}^2 - \pi\Re_n{}^2 \tag{6-46}$$

Equation (6-44) shows that

$$\frac{dA}{d\theta} = \text{constant}$$

which proves that Kepler's second law applies to the nth ellipse.

The integration of dA verifies that the area of the nth ellipse is indeed the difference in area of the circles swept by $\bar{R}_n$ and $\bar{A}_n$. Note that the area emerges as a negative value, since the vector $\bar{H}$ sweeps the area in the negative direction, as shown in Figure 6-12.

6.5.2.4.5 Dynamic Moduli

Historically the most important material parameter is Young's modulus, which is the ratio of stress to strain with the material assumed to be perfectly elastic or, alternatively, statically strained so that no loss processes are involved. Young's modulus can be portrayed directly in a conventional, real, stress-strain plane.

As the significance of loss processes in materials became known, the concept of a dynamic modulus evolved. Dynamic modulus is normally written E*, although this designation is unfortunate since the more common meaning of the asterisk is to denote the complex conjugate of a complex number. Since there will be occasion to denote the complex conjugate of moduli, the classic dynamic modulus shall be denoted as E and the more usual meaning of complex conjugate assigned to the asterisk.

$$\text{Dynamic modulus} = E = E' + iE'' \tag{6-47}$$

where

$$E' = \text{stiffness modulus}$$

$$E'' = \text{loss modulus}$$

The concept of the dynamic modulus applies only to materials generating elliptical hysteresis loops such
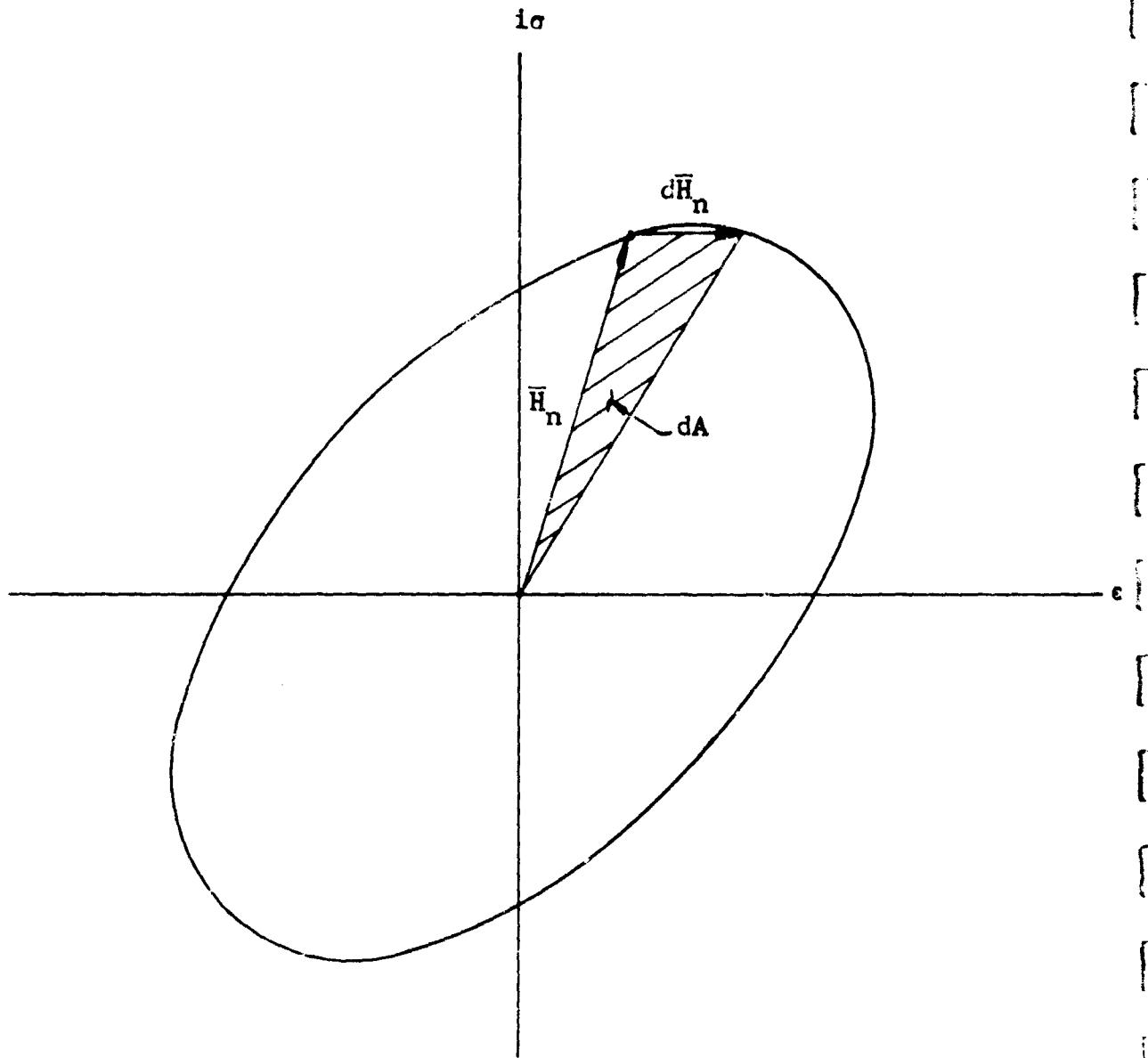
FIGURE 6-12

INCREMENT OF AREA SWEPT OUT
BY THE VECTOR $\bar{\bar{H}}_n$

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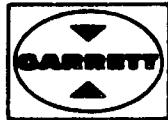
as viscoelastic materials. It is sometimes applied to materials
having nonelliptical hysteresis loops by first "linearizing" the
material. This is done by assuming an elliptical hysteresis loop
having the same area as the nonelliptical loop.

E cannot be represented in a real stress-strain plane be-
cause it is a complex number, so a separate $E' + iE''$ plane must
be imagined. The magnitude of E' and E'', however, may be
obtained from the real plane ellipse by certain geometric con-
structions.

For all "lossy" materials, stress leads strain by some
angle δ, and

$$\frac{E''}{E'} = \tan \delta \tag{6-48}$$

The dynamic modulus is therefore sometimes defined as

$$E = \frac{\sigma_{max}}{\epsilon_{max}} e^{i\delta} \tag{6-49}$$

In the complex stress-strain plane all phase angles are
measured from the real axis in the counterclockwise direction.
Thus

$$\sigma_{max} = i\sigma_1 \tag{6-50}$$

In the complex plane, E may be represented directly as

$$E = \frac{i\sigma_1}{\epsilon_1} e^{i\delta} = \frac{\sigma_1}{\epsilon_1} e^{i(\delta + \frac{\pi}{2})} \tag{6-51}$$

The dynamic modulus must be a const nt (nonrotating) vector which represents the (constant) ratio of stress to strain. E may be written as the ratio of the stress component of $\overline{R}_1$ to the strain component of $\overline{R}_1$.

$$\overset{+}{E}_1 = \frac{\frac{1}{2}\,\sigma_1\,e^{i\phi_1}}{\frac{1}{2}\,\varepsilon_1\,e^{i\psi_1}} = \frac{\sigma_1}{\varepsilon_1}\,e^{i(\phi_1-\psi_1)} \tag{6-52}$$

Then

$$\frac{\sigma_1}{\varepsilon_1}\,e^{i(\phi_1-\psi_1)} = \frac{\sigma_1}{\varepsilon_1}\,e^{i(\delta+\frac{\pi}{2})} \tag{6-53}$$

$$\phi_1 - \psi_1 = \delta + \frac{\pi}{2} \tag{6-54}$$

This relation is illustrated in Figure 6-13, page

A dynamic modulus vector can also be formed from the stress and strain components of $\overline{R}_1$.

$$\overline{E}_1 = \frac{\frac{1}{2}\,\sigma_1\,e^{-i\phi_1}}{\frac{1}{2}\,\varepsilon_1\,e^{-i\psi_1}} = \frac{\sigma_1}{\varepsilon_1}\,e^{i(\psi_1-\phi_1)} \tag{6-55}$$

Note that the dynamic modulus derived from $\overline{R}_1$ has been designated as $\overset{+}{E}_1$ and the modulus derived from $\overline{R}_1$ as $\overline{E}_1$.

If the stress and strain components of $\overline{R}_1$ are considered as they rotate in the clockwise (negative) direction, it is found that the stress attains its maximum before the strain and that this stress also leads the strain by the amount δ.

$\bar{E}_1$ is therefore just as valid a definition of dynamic modulus as $\overset{+}{E}$ although they are not the same vector (see Figure 6-13).

The relation of $\overset{+}{E}_1$ and $\bar{E}_1$ is clearly as follows

$$\bar{E}_1 = -\overset{+}{E}_1{}^*$$ (6-56)

where the asterisk means complex conjugate.

Thus is revealed an astonishing duality in the dynamic modulus.

By analogy the dynamic moduli for any of the n component ellipses of a nonlinear hysteresis loop are now defined as

$$\overset{+}{E}_n = \frac{\sigma_n}{\epsilon_n} e^{i(\phi_n - \psi_n)}$$ (6-57)

$$\bar{E}_n = -\frac{\sigma_n}{\epsilon_n} e^{i(\psi_n - \phi_n)}$$ (6-58)

$$\bar{E}_n = -\overset{+}{E}_n{}^*$$ (6-59)

Note that there are two "degenerate" cases for which $\overset{+}{E}_n$ and $\bar{E}_n$ cannot be defined. If $\epsilon_n = 0$, the moduli are not defined. If $\sigma_n = 0$, the direction of $\overset{+}{E}$ and $\bar{E}$ cannot be defined.

An apparently serious difficulty arises at this point because for any sinusoidal stress input $\sigma_n = 0$ if $n > 1$, and
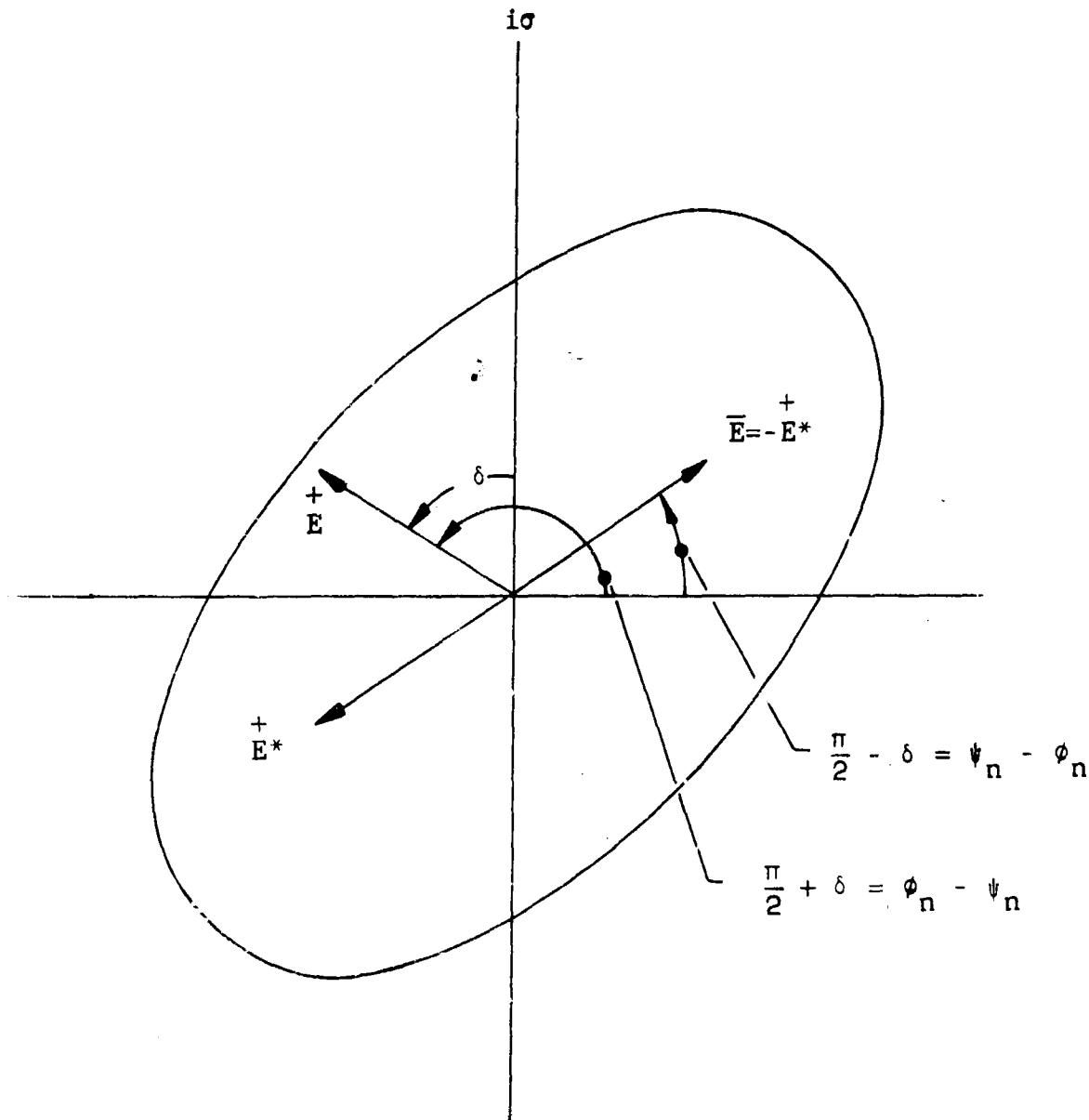
FIGURE 6-13

RELATIVE POSITION OF $\overset{+}{E}$, $\overset{+}{E}*$

AND $\overline{E}$ VECTORS

for any sinusoidal strain input test $\epsilon_n = 0$ if $n > 1$. A way of circumventing this difficulty is presented in Section 6.5.2.9

Figure 6-14 shows how the direction of $\overset{+}{E}_n$ and $\overset{-}{E}_n$ may be obtained by an elemental geometric construction. The tip of $\overline{H}_n$ is located as shown in Figure 6-14 at time $t = -\psi_n$. At this time both of the counterrotating strain components lie on the real (σ) axis. $\overline{H}_n$ may then be completed by constructing the two vectors $\frac{\sigma_n}{2}$ as shown. Their directions must be the directions of $\overset{+}{E}_n$ and $\overset{-}{E}_n$.

6.5.2.5 Energy Considerations

6.5.2.5.1 Circular Hysteresis Loops

A circular hysteresis loop in a real stress-strain plane would have a direct meaning. The dynamic modulus must be as follows: (See Figure 6-15.)

$$E = \frac{\text{max stress}}{\text{max strain}} \, e^{i\frac{\pi}{2}} \qquad (6\text{-}60)$$

or

$$E = iE'', \ E' = 0 \qquad (6\text{-}61)$$

and

$$\frac{S_2}{S_1} \frac{\text{max stress}}{\text{max strain}} = 1 \qquad (6\text{-}62)$$

where S_1 and S_2 are the scale factors to which the figure is drawn.
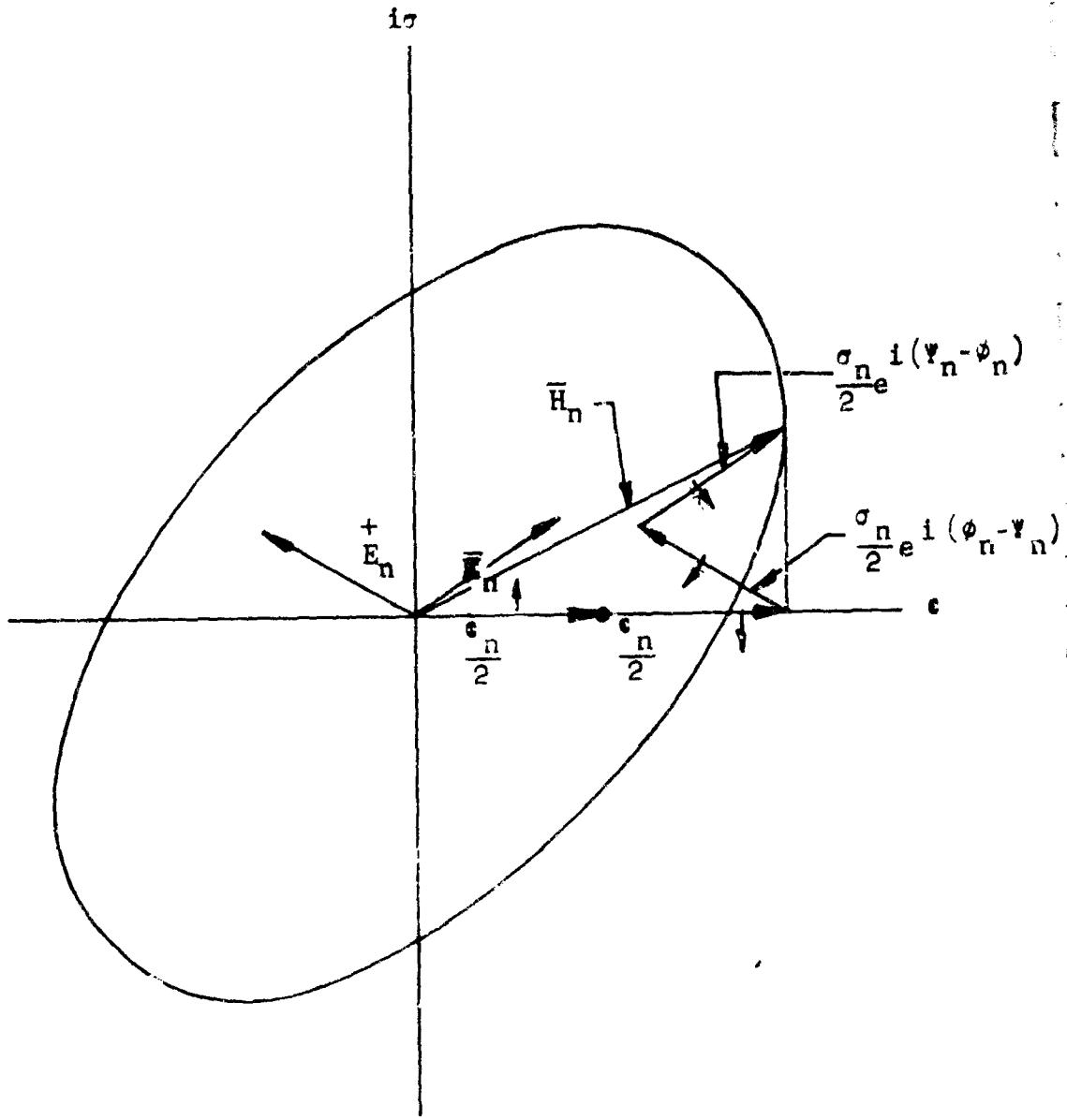
FIGURE 6-14

DETERMINATION OF DIRECTION
OF $\overline{E}_n$ AND $\overset{+}{E}_n$

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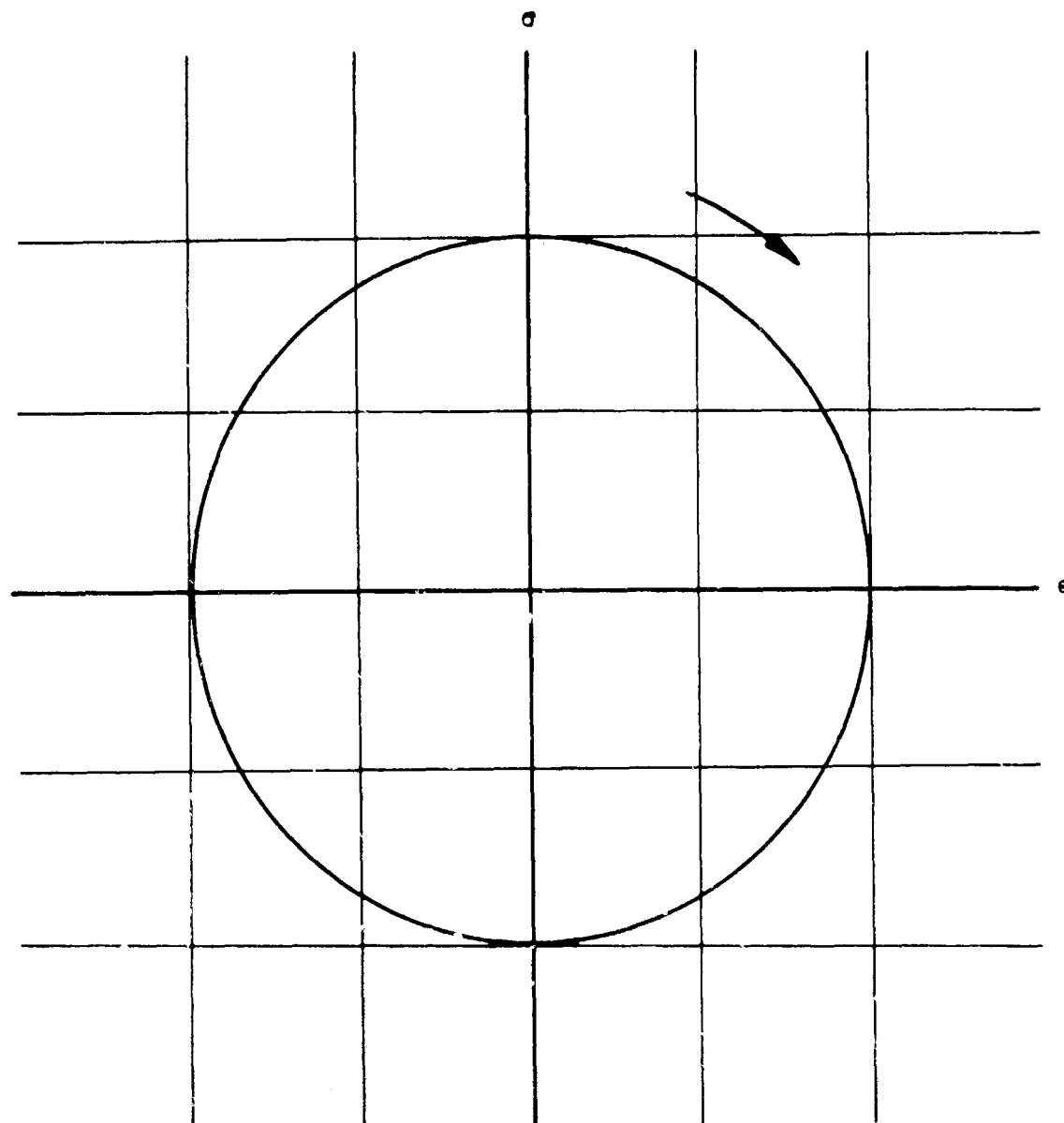
FIGURE 6-15

**A CIRCULAR HYSTERESIS LOOP IN
A REAL STRESS-STRAIN PLANE**

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The model for such a material is simply a linear dashpot. Such loops actually occur as in the case of a loop observed at the resonant peak of a mass-spring-dashpot system. In this case, at resonance, the mass inertia has just cancelled out the stiffness of the spring, which leaves only the dashpot to influence the system.

An equally simple electrical analogy is apparent--that of a single linear resistor.

Since the circular hysteresis loops can be traversed in either direction, it is necessary to postulate negative dash-pots or negative resistors. Negative resistance is a common tool to the electrical engineer and is occasionally used by mechanical engineers. A negative resistance simply means an energy source, whereas a positive resistance is an energy dissipation device or energy sink.

A regenerative electrical circuit is conveniently represented as the sum of a positive and a negative resistance in series. The positive resistance supplies the losses in the circuit. The negative resistance supplies the power such as is done by an amplifier.

It is thus natural to associate a normal clockwise traverse of a circular loop with power received by the material from its driving source. Conversely, the traverse of a circular hysteresis loop in the reverse direction, counterclockwise, may represent

the flow of stored energy out of the specimen. Since for any material there is a net dissipation of energy, more must flow in than is returned; hence, the difference, which is the dissipation, is always such that the resultant traverse of the loop is in the clockwise direction.

As shown in Figure 6-16, the semimajor axis of the nth elliptical loop is $R_n + \mathcal{R}_n$ and its semiminor axis is $\mathcal{R}_n - R_n$. The area of the loop must equal π times the product of the semi-axes and must represent the energy loss per cycle. Thus, the area of the ellipse is the difference in area of the two circles of radius $\mathcal{R}_n$ and R_n.

It has been shown that $\mathcal{R}_n$ is associated with energy put into the material and $\overline{R}_n$ is associated with energy returned by the material, so that the difference must represent the loss per cycle as shown in Figure 6-17.

6.5.2.5.2 A Corollary

The harmonic-type analysis used here reveals a fact that may not be clearly recognizable in terms of the real plane analyses. It seems important enough to state as a corollary to Therorem 1.
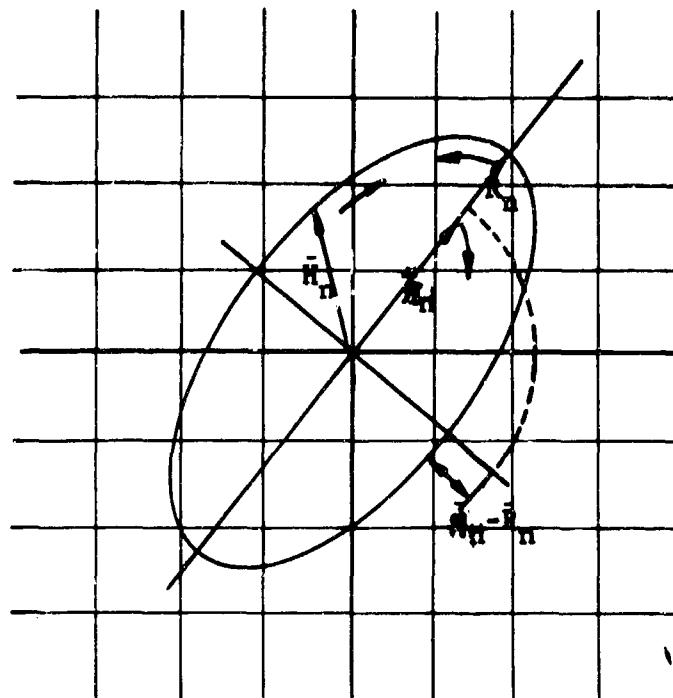
FIGURE 6-16

$$\text{AREA} = \pi(\bar{R} + \bar{R})(\bar{R} - \bar{R}) = \pi\bar{R}^2 - \pi\bar{R}^2$$
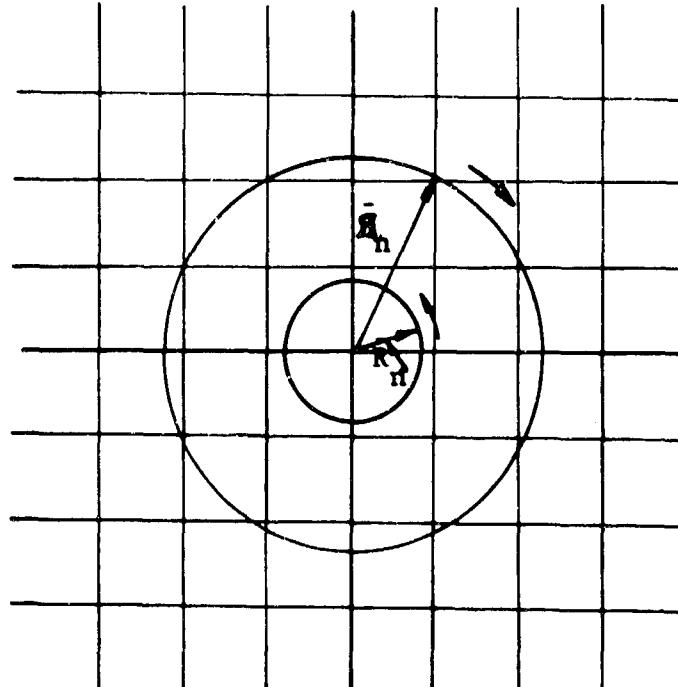
FIGURE 6-17

THE AREA OF THE ELLIPSE OF FIGURE 6-16
EQUALS THE DIFFERENCE IN THESE CIRCULAR
AREAS

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Corollary I

Given a hysteresis loop, $Z = \epsilon + i\sigma$, then energy can be dissipated only by the interaction of harmonic components common to both the stress and the strain axis (real and imaginary axes).

Informal Proof of Corollary I

It has already been shown that the stress and the strain may each be expressed as Fourier series.

$$\epsilon = \sum_{n=0}^{n=\infty} \epsilon_n \cos(n\theta + \psi_n) \qquad (6\text{-}63)$$

$$\sigma = \sum_{n=0}^{n=\infty} \sigma_n \sin(n\theta + \phi_n) \qquad (6\text{-}64)$$

Also, by classic definition, the loss per cycle equals:

$$\oint \sigma\, d\epsilon \qquad (6\text{-}65)$$

The product $\sigma\, d\epsilon$ consists of a double summation over m and n of terms having the form

$$\left[-n\epsilon_n \sin(n\theta + \psi_n)\right]\left[\sigma_n \sin(n\theta + \phi_n)\right] \qquad (6\text{-}66)$$

or the Fourier series can always be rewritten to eliminate the phase angles ψ_m and ϕ_n yielding an ϵ and σ terms of the form

$$d\epsilon_m = a \cos m\theta + b \sin m\theta \qquad (6\text{-}67)$$

$$\sigma_n = c \cos n\theta + d \sin n\theta \qquad (6\text{-}68)$$

where a, b, c, d are constants.

Product terms are of one of three forms containing

(1) $\cos m\theta \cos n\theta$

(2) $\cos m\theta \sin n\theta$

(3) $\sin m\theta \sin n\theta$

But the integral over one cycle of θ is always zero for Type 2 and is zero for both Types 1 and 3 unless m = n.

These vanishing integrals are a fundamental property of all sets of orthogonal functions.

6.5.2.6 The Effect of Phase

For each value of n there are four parameters $(R_n, \mathfrak{R}_n, \alpha_n,$ and $\beta_n)$. It is reasonable to expect that many materials may exhibit similar values for R_n and $\mathfrak{R}_n$ yet may differ greatly in their phase parameters α_n and β_n.

This is evident from the three ellipses shown in Figure 6-18, which all have the same values of R_n and $\mathfrak{R}_n$, but for which α_n and β_n are very different.

$$\frac{\alpha_n + \beta_n}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\frac{\alpha_n + \beta_n}{2} = 0$$

$$\frac{\alpha_n + \beta_n}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$
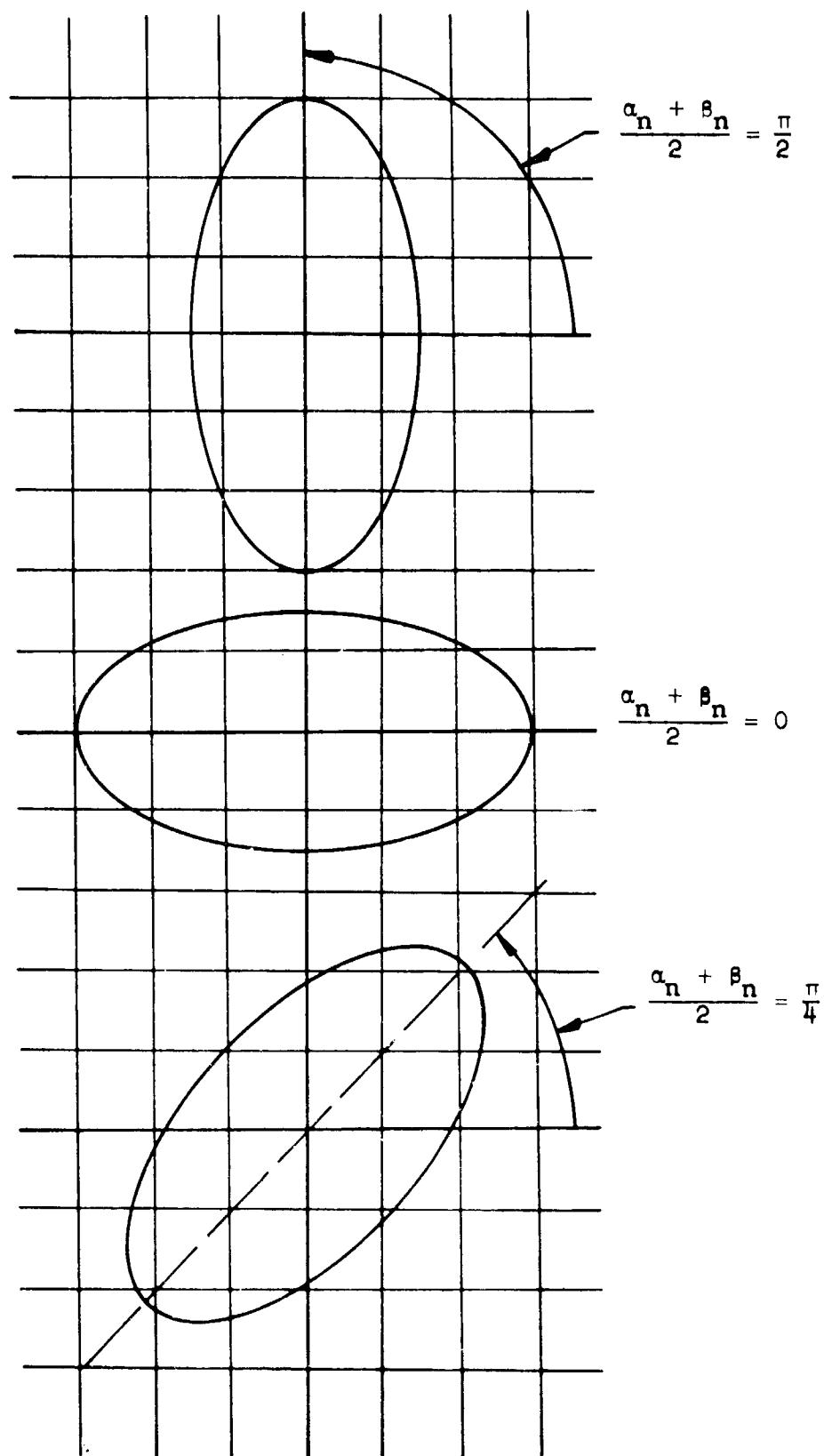
FIGURE 6-18

EFFECT OF PHASE PARAMETERS, α_n **and** β_n

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As previously shown, the angle between the principal axis of the ellipse and the strain axis is equal to $\frac{\alpha_n + \beta_n}{2}$ regardless of the time base chosen. A second relation is needed to actually determine α_n and β_n.

Fortunately, the direct measurement of α_n and β_n is accomplished with ease with the aid of modern instrumentation procedures. As a matter of routine, the strain is measurable directly with strain transducers. Likewise, the stress is measurable with force transducers. The most natural display for the transducer signals is to form the hysteresis loop as a Lissajour figure on a cathode ray oscilloscope.

With the aid of band-pass filters, it is then elemental to display separately each of the n component ellipses in turn. By forming a sharp pulse out of a signal derived in any convenient manner from the fundamental driving frequency ω, a common time marker may be applied to each of the n ellipses. The pulse is used to mark a spot on the ellipse by modulation of the Z axis. The angles α_n and β_n may then be obtained directly from a photograph of the nth ellipse by the geometric construction shown in Figure 6-19. R_n and β_n are, of course, already known by measuring the major and minor semi-axes of the ellipse.

The crucial role of phase angle is shown in the Lissajour figures of section 6.5.2.8. By addition of a small amount of f third harmonic to the strain axis an elliptical loop is changed to a nonlinear loop. A shaft of 90° in the phase of this third harmonic transforms the figure from a sharply pointed loop characteristic of metals to a blunted shape characteristic of clay.
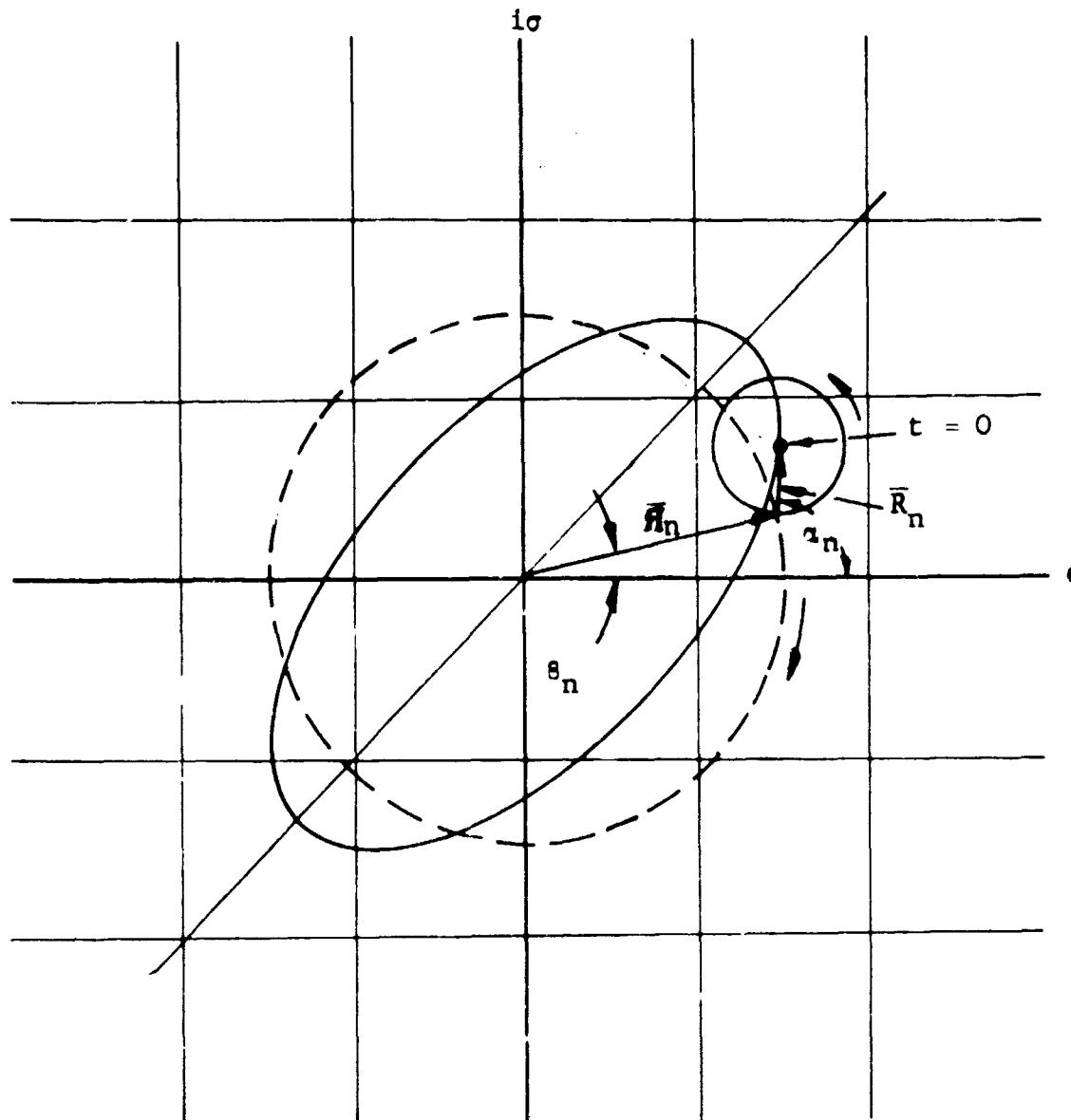
FIGURE 6-19

CONSTRUCTION OF $\bar{R}_n$ AND $\bar{\mathcal{R}}_n$ FROM
A TIME MARK ON THE nth ELLIPSE

6.5.2.7 Coulomb Damping

As an illustrative exercise, consider the case of a material or system having zero stiffness and pure coulomb damping. This leads to a square hysteresis loop which is certainly an extreme case of nonlinearity and would seem not too amenable to expression as a sum of linear (viscous) damping terms.

Figure 6-20 shows the mechanical model, the resulting hysteresis loop, and a plot of the sinusoidal strain input and the stress as indicated by tension in the connecting rod.

The analysis proves to be simple and converges so rapidly that very few harmonic terms (pairs of epicycles) are needed.

This extreme example serves to clearly illustrate most of the important features of analysis by rheological epicycles. Since the strain input is sinusoidal, the entire energy dissipation (area of the square) must occur by interaction of $n = 1$ terms. Indeed, the computed area is correct. To accommodate this, all R_n and $\mathcal{R}_n$ become equal for $n > 1$ and their counterrotation merely generates straight lines having no area and lying on the stress axis. Since coulombic damping is inherently independent of rate, the angle θ is used as parameter.

$$\epsilon = \epsilon_1 \cos \theta = \cos \theta \text{ (by assumption)} \tag{6-69}$$

The Fourier expansion for a square wave is well known and may be written as

$$\sigma = \frac{\pi}{4} \left[\sin \theta + 1/3 \sin 3\theta \right.$$

$$\left. + \frac{1}{5} \sin 5\theta +++ \frac{1}{n} \sin n\theta \right] n = 1, 3, 5 \ldots \tag{6-70}$$

Note that only odd values of n appear.
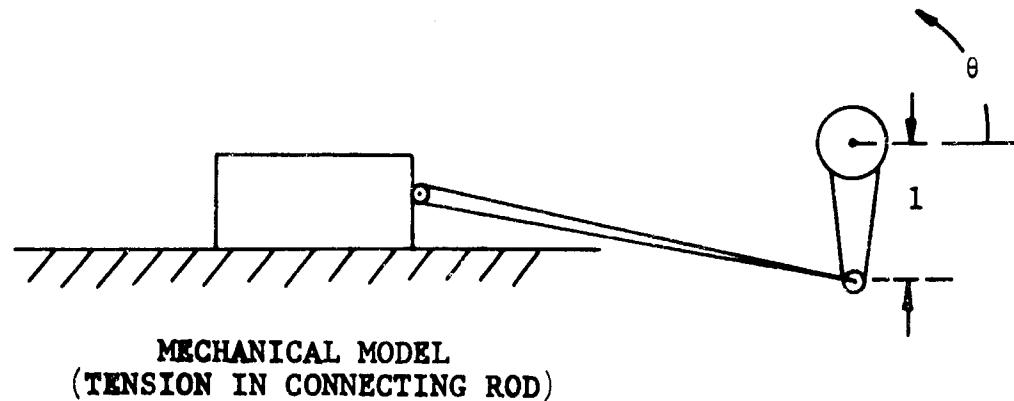
MECHANICAL MODEL
(TENSION IN CONNECTING ROD)

HYSTERESIS LOOP
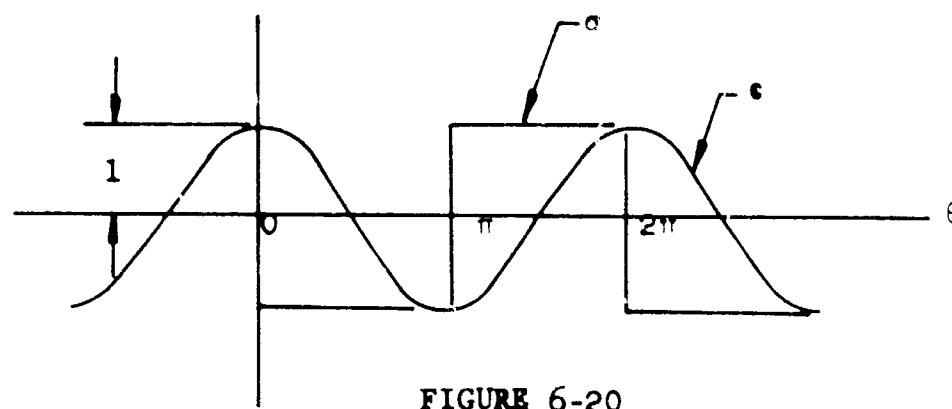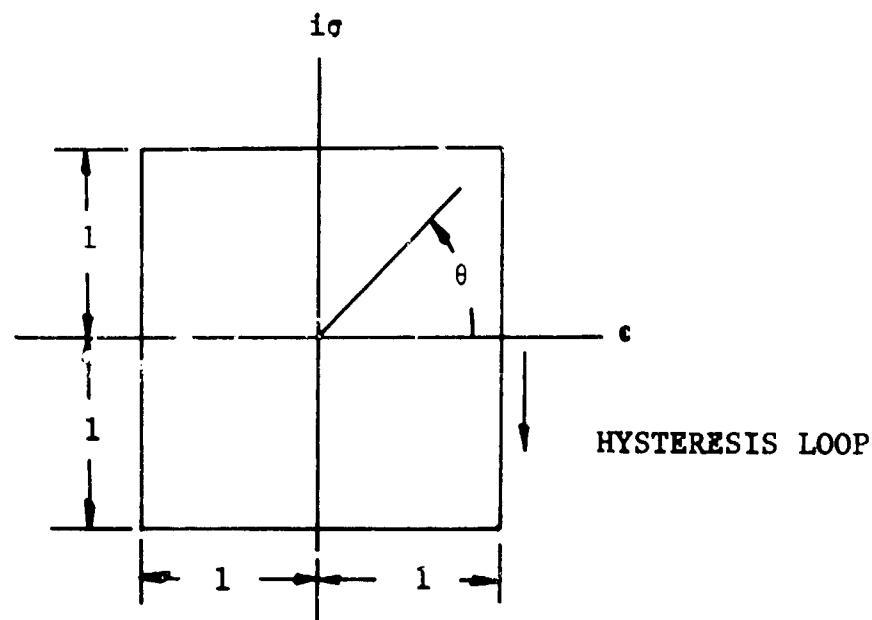
FIGURE 6-20

COULOMB DAMPING

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Note also that for the coordinates chosen, there are no cosine terms or phase angles. The negative sign appears only because of the convention choice of tension in the rod as a positive force.

$$\bar{R}_n e^{in\theta} = R_n e^{i(n\theta + \alpha_n)} \qquad (6\text{-}71)$$

$$= \frac{\epsilon_n}{2} e^{i(n\theta + \psi_n)} + \frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{i(n\theta + \phi_n)}$$

But because ϵ and σ are even and odd functions, respectively, both ψ_n and ϕ_n are all zero.

Also, no static stress or strain is possible, so $\bar{R}_o$ and $\bar{\mathcal{A}}_o$ are zero. R_n, $\mathcal{A}_n$, α_n, and θ_n may be evaluated at any convenient value of θ, so for $\theta = 0$:

$$[\bar{R}_1]_{\theta=0} = R_1 e^{i\alpha_1} = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{\pi}\right) \qquad (6\text{-}72)$$

Note that

$$[\bar{R}_1]_{\theta=0} \text{ is a real number} = -0.1365 \qquad (6\text{-}73)$$

$$R_1 \cos \alpha_1 + i\, R_1 \sin \alpha_1 = -0.1365 \qquad (6\text{-}74)$$

$$R_1 = 0.1365, \quad \alpha_1 = \pi \qquad (6\text{-}75)$$

$$\epsilon_0 = \epsilon_3 = \epsilon_5 = \epsilon_n = 0 \qquad n \neq 1 \qquad (6\text{-}76)$$

So all other $\bar{R}_n$ may be written

$$[\bar{R}_n]_{\theta=0} = R_n e^{i\alpha_n} = -\frac{2}{n\pi} + 0i \qquad (6\text{-}77)$$

$$R_n = \frac{2}{n\pi}, \quad \alpha_n = \pi \tag{6-78}$$

$$n = 3, 5, 7, \ldots$$

Similarly

$$\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_n = \mathfrak{R}_n e^{i\beta_n} \tag{6-79}$$

$$\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_n = \frac{\epsilon_n}{2} - \frac{\sigma_n}{2} \qquad \text{(a real number)} \tag{6-80}$$

For $n = 1$

$$\mathfrak{R}_1 e^{i\beta_1} = 1.1365 + i0 \tag{6-81}$$

$$\mathfrak{R}_1 = 1.1365 \qquad \beta_1 = 0 \tag{6-82}$$

For all other values of n

$$\mathfrak{R}_n = \frac{2}{n\pi} \tag{6-84}$$

Values of R_n, $\mathfrak{R}_n$, α_n, and β_n are shown in Table I.

TABLE I

n	R_n	α_n	$\mathit{Я}_n$	β_n	(Area)
0	0		0		
1	0.1365	π	1.1365	0	3.997
2					
3	0.2122	π	0.2122	0	0
4					
5	0.1273	π	0.1273	0	0
6					
7	0.0909	π	0.0909	0	0
8					
9	0.0707	π	0.0707	0	0

Note that the area is correct for the number of significant figures used.

Figures 6-21, 6-22, and 6-23 show R_n and $\mathit{Я}_n$ and their resultant ellipses for $n = 1, 3, 5$. Figure 6-24 shows successive approximations of the square hysteresis loop as n is increased.
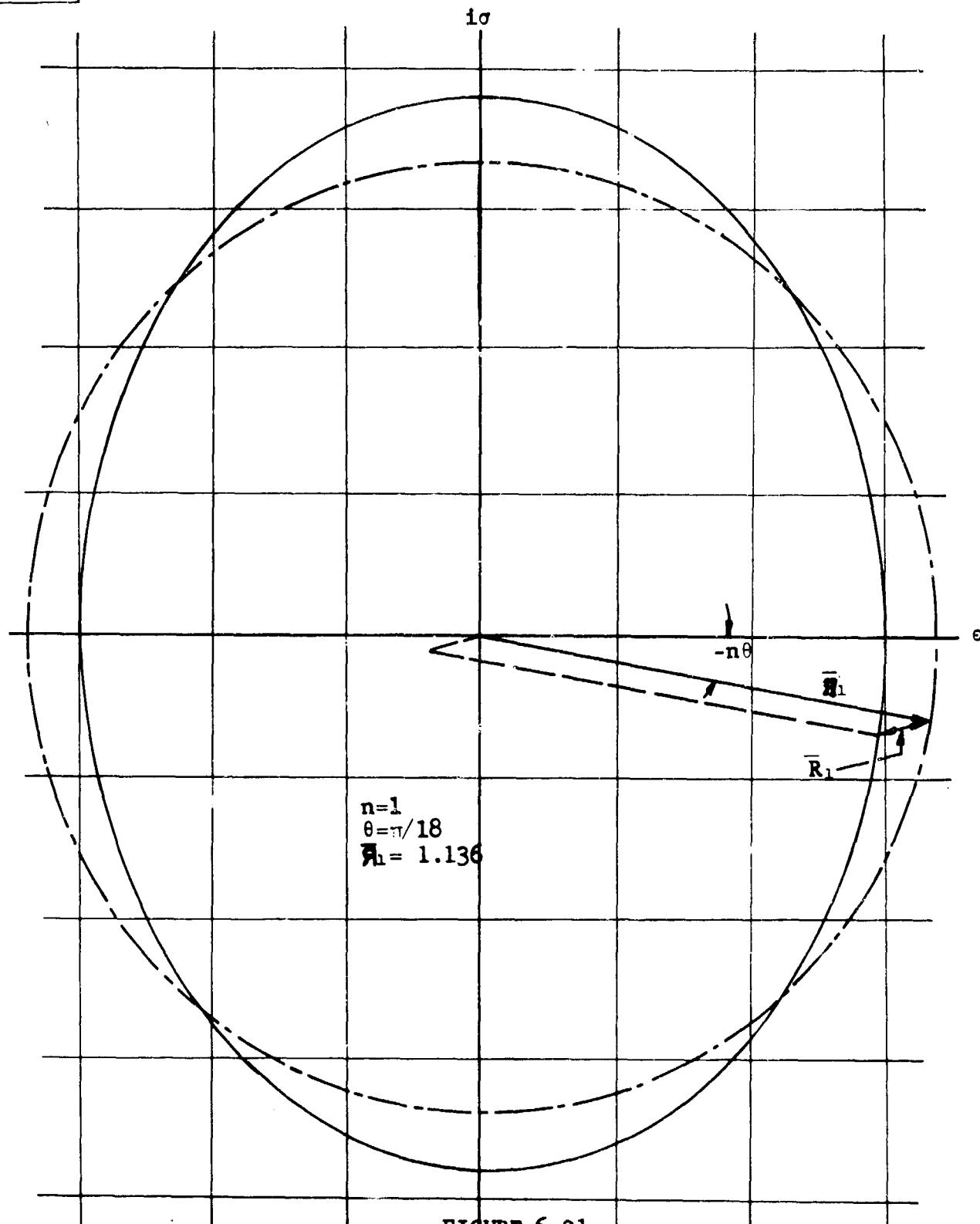
FIGURE 6-21
FIRST COMPONENT ELLIPSE
FOR A SQUARE HYSTERESIS
LOOP

$i\sigma$

n=3
$\theta = \pi/18$
$\bar{R}_3 = $ 3 $= .212$

$-n\theta$

R_3 $\bar{\bar{R}}_3$
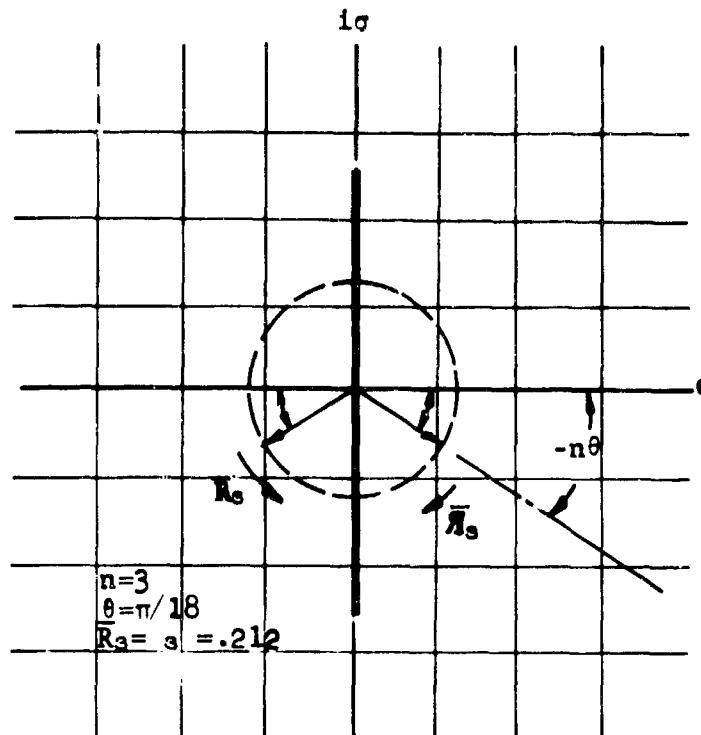
FIGURE 6-22

**THE n=3 COMPONENT OF A SQUARE
HYSTERESIS LOOP**

$i\sigma$

n=5
$\theta = \pi/18$
$\bar{R}_5 = $ 5 $= .129$

$-n\theta$

R_5 $\bar{\bar{R}}_5$
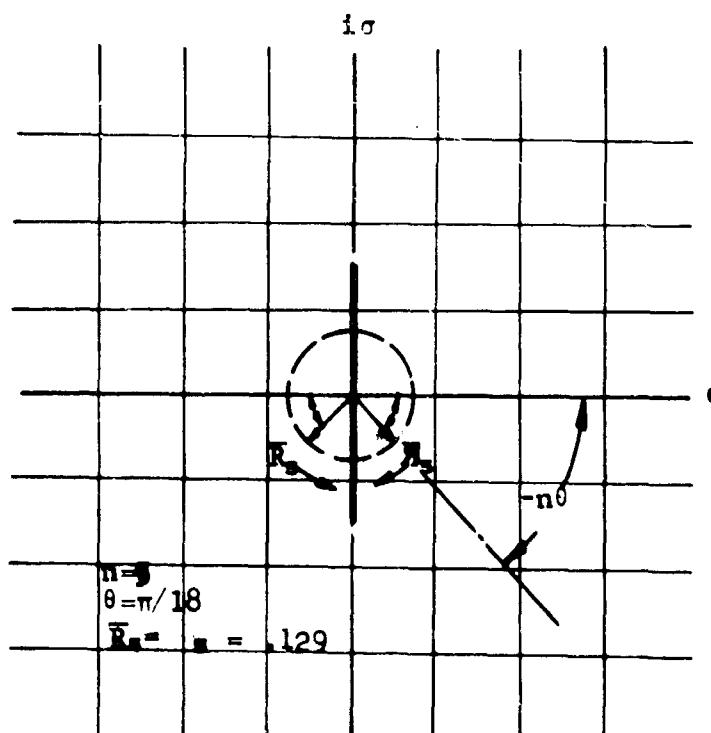
FIGURE 6-23

THE n=5 COMPONENT OF A SQUARE HYSTERESIS LOOP

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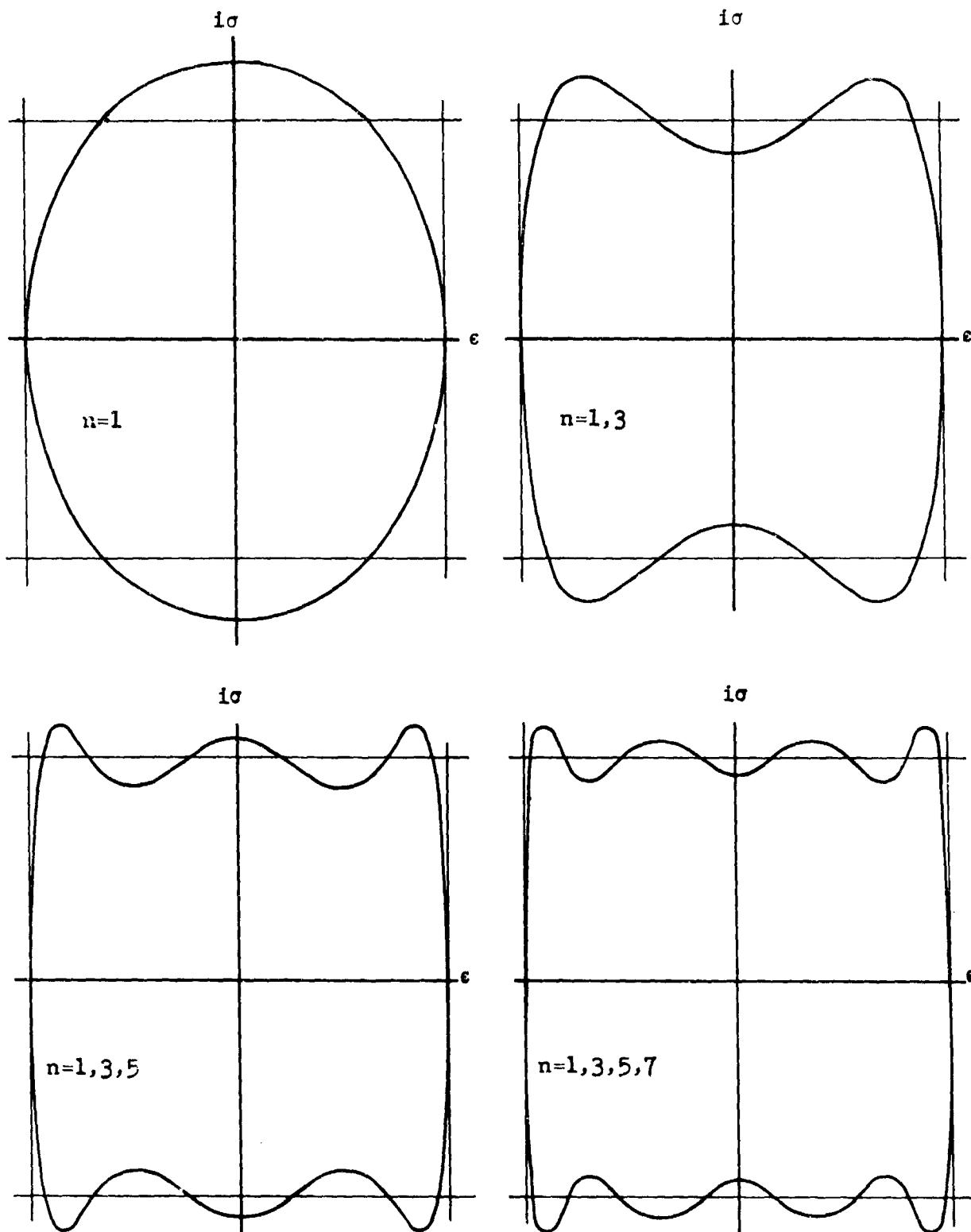
FIGURE 6-24

SUCCESSIVE APPROXIMATIONS OF A
SQUARE HYSTERESIS LOOP AS n
INCREASES FROM 1 TO 7

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6.5.3 Synthesis of Hysteresis Loops by Means of a Computer

6.5.3.1 Introduction

The process of resolving hysteresis loops into a number of circular motions can be reversed--i.e., the hysteresis loops can be formed by combining the component circular motions. The generation and addition and subtraction of the rotating vectors that constitute the circular motions is a procedure readily performed by an analog computer. The effect of harmonics and particularly of the phase relationship between fundamental and harmonics is demonstrated.

6.5.3.2 Equipment

A PACE-TRIO Analog Computer with repetitive-operation capability (see Figure 6-25) was used to generate and combine the sinusoidal voltages that represent the vector components of the hysteresis loops. This computer is a precise and stable unit capable of producing sinusoidal voltages by means of a simulation of an undamped second order system. The repetitive operation feature makes it possible to use a conventional oscilloscope for display. A Dumont Type 304-A dual-beam oscilloscope was used for this display.

6.5.3.3 Computer Mechanization

The R_n and $\bar{R}_n$ vectors rotate at the same angular velocity and describe circles that may be of equal or different radii. The rotation of $\bar{R}$ is counterclockwise and that of $\bar{R}$ clockwise. Figure 6-26 shows the $\bar{R}$ circle (upper) and the $\bar{R}$ circle (lower).
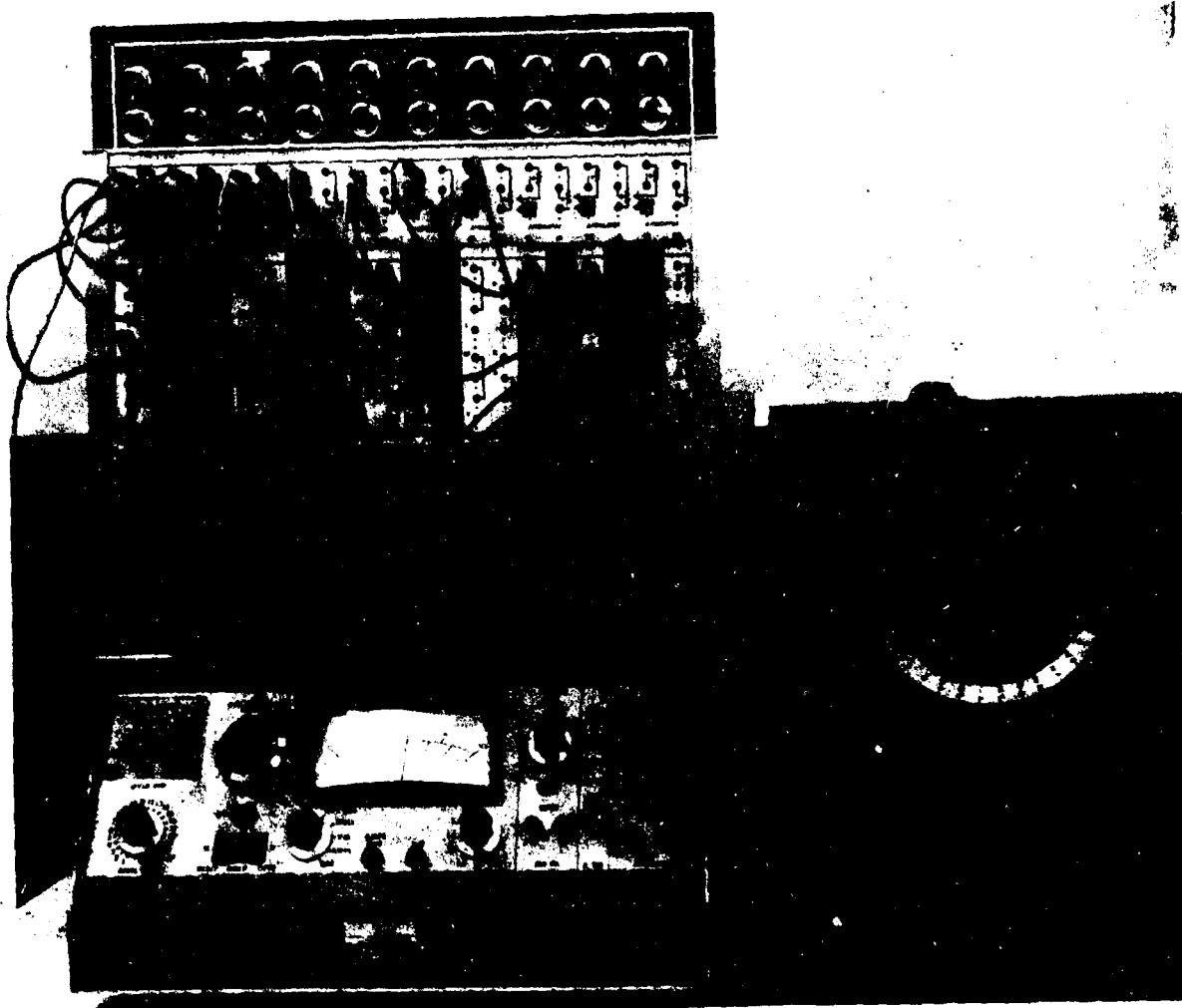
FIGURE 6-25

ANALOG COMPUTER

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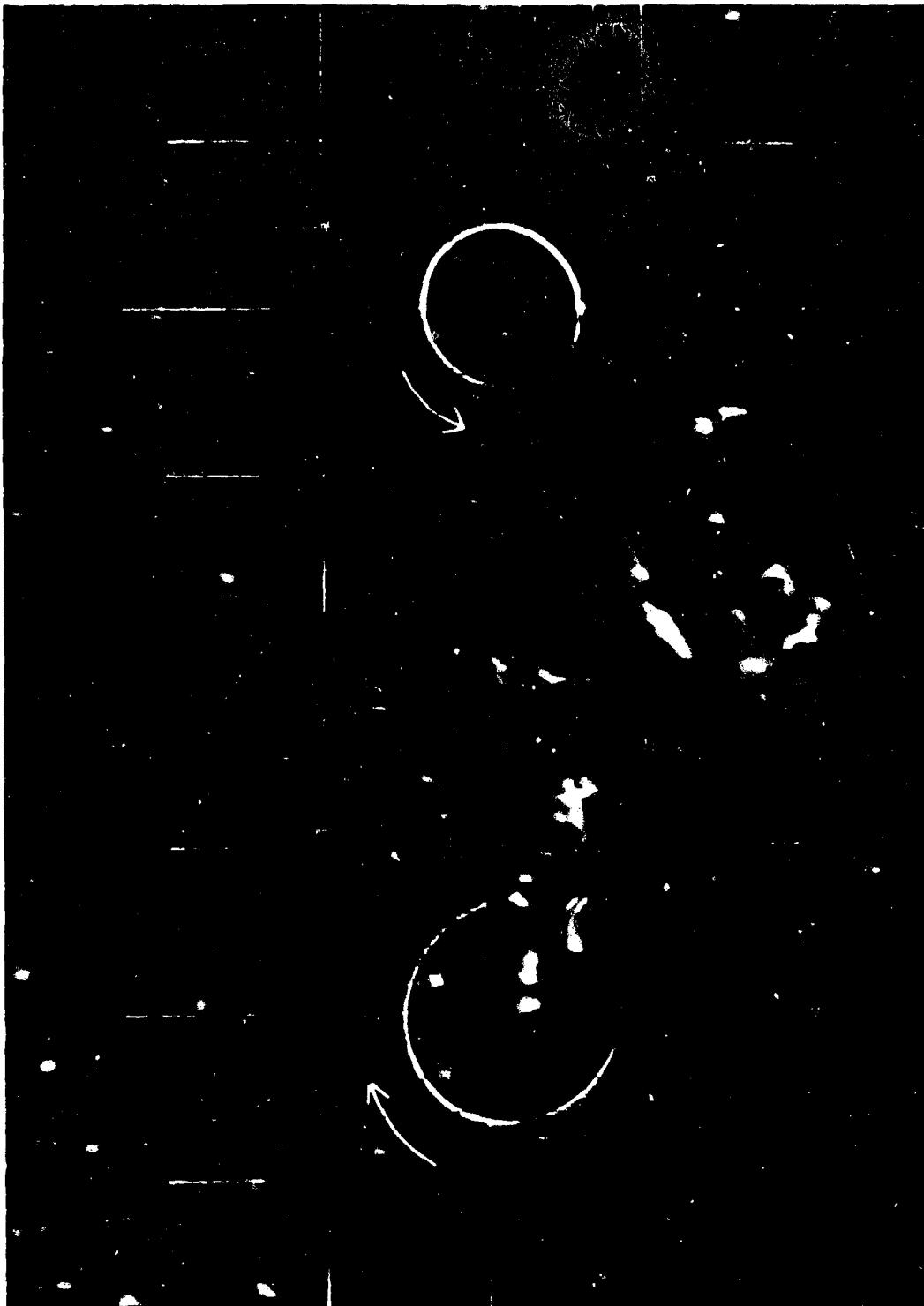
FIGURE 6-26

$\bar{R}_1$ CIRCLE (UPPER) AND $\bar{Я}_1$ CIRCLE (LOWER)

The R vector is produced by the following simulation:

The computer is set up to solve the equation,

$$y = a\ddot{x} + bx \qquad (6\text{-}85)$$

When the proper initial conditions are established, the computer solution of this equation is a sine wave of constant peak amplitude dependent on initial condition, and of frequency

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{b}{a}} \qquad (6\text{-}86)$$

This solution may then be written:

$$x = A \sin(\omega t) \qquad (6\text{-}87)$$

The computer also conveniently generates the quadrature component which can be adjusted to have the same peak amplitude and is described:

$$\dot{x} = A \cos(\omega t) \qquad (6\text{-}88)$$

The vector $\bar{R}$ is then simulated by

$$\bar{R} = A (\sin \omega t + j \cos \omega t) \qquad (6\text{-}89)$$

The computer mechanization for this simulation is shown in Figure 6-27. When the two components x and $\dot{x}$ are connected to horizontal and vertical axes of an oscilloscope, the result is a circle described by a spot that moves in a counterclockwise direction about the center of the screen and at a distance from the center, $A = R_1$. The spot starts from a position on the horizontal axis.
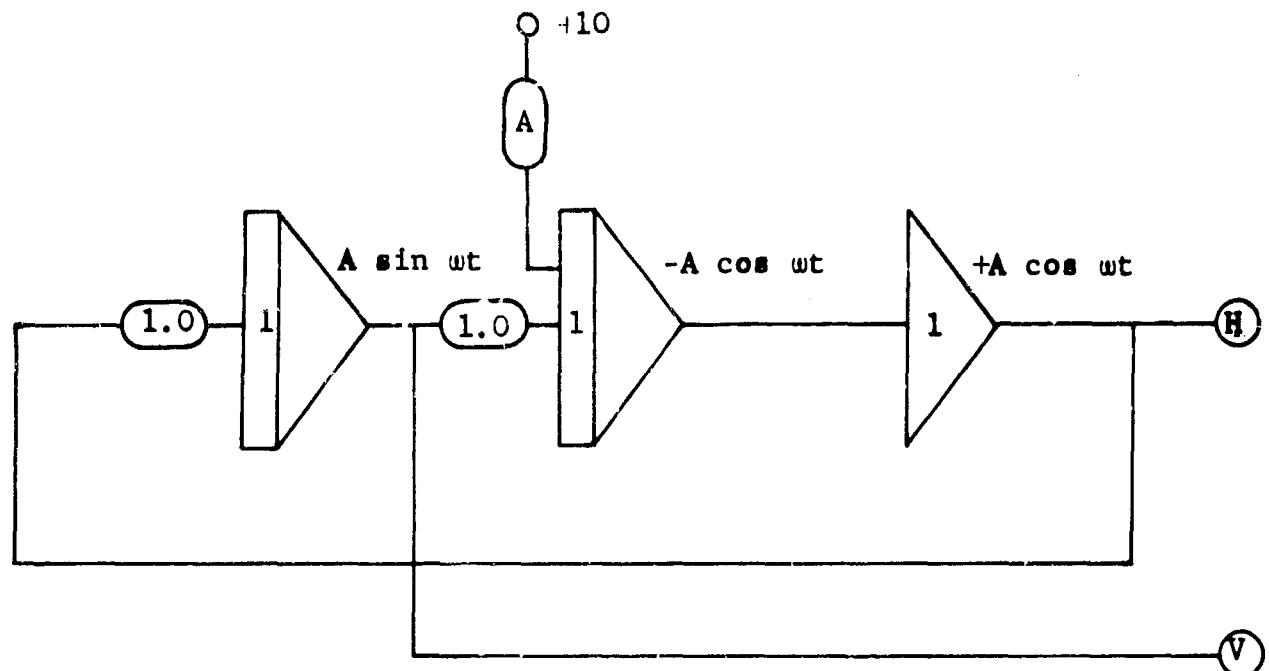
FIGURE 6-27

COMPUTER MECHANIZATION FOR
SIMULATION OF $\overline{R} = A(\sin \omega t + j \cos \omega t)$

A similar mechanization (see Figure 6-28) is used to generate the vector $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_1$ except that the sign of the cosine term is changed. This causes the vector to rotate in the opposite direction. The negative cosine component is connected to the vertical axis and the sine to the horizontal axis, with the result that the spot starts from the vertical axis.

The two vectors $\overline{R}_1$ and $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_1$ are combined by adding the sine term of $\overline{R}$ to the cosine terms of $\overline{\mathfrak{R}}$ in one summing amplifier and the cosine term of R_1 to the sine term of $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_1$ in another. These two amplifiers then provide the horizontal and vertical signals to the oscilloscope. By adjusting the magnitude of the initial conditions, the combination of $\overline{R}_1$ and $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_1$ will appear on the oscilloscope as a circular pattern rotating counterclockwise when $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_1$ is 0, as a straight line inclined $45°$ to the horizontal when $R_1 = \mathfrak{R}_1$, and a circular pattern with clockwise rotation when $\overline{R}_1 = 0$. For all other relative magnitudes of $\overline{R}_1$ and $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_1$ the pattern will be elliptical with clockwise rotation if $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_1$ is larger and counterclockwise if $\overline{R}_1$ is larger. For the conventions normally used in stress-strain curves, $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_1$ is larger and rotation is clockwise. Figure 6-29 shows the combined circles, which describe an ellipse.

The elliptical pattern formed by $\overline{R}_1$ and $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_1$ is distorted into the forms commonly seen in hysteresis loops by addition of $\overline{R}_3$ and $\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_3$, the third harmonic. Figure 6-30 shows the $\overline{R}_3 + \bar{\mathfrak{R}}_3$ ($R_3 = \mathfrak{R}_3$) component (lower) and the figure traced when all components are added. Since the distortion is assumed to affect only the horizontal (strain) axis corresponding to a distorted strain that results from a sinusoidal stress input, only one sinusoidal component of third harmonic frequency need be generated. This component is formed by a circuit identical with that used for $\overline{R}_1$
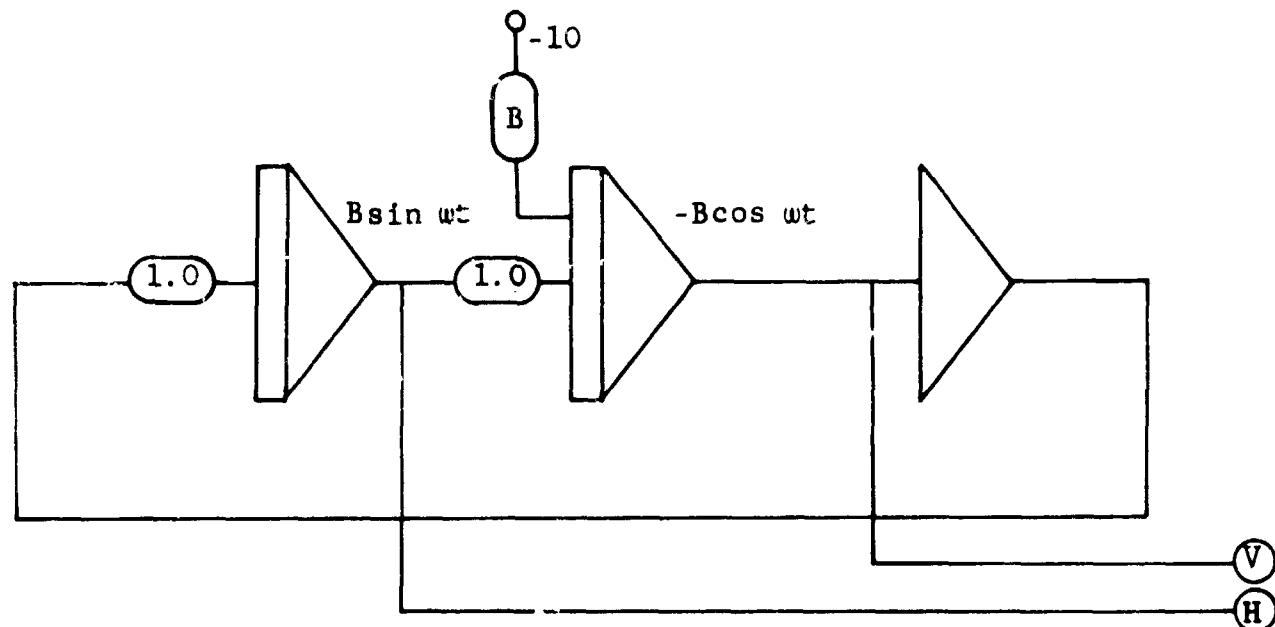
FIGURE 6-28

COMPUTER MECHANIZATION FOR
SIMULATION OF $\overline{R}$ = B(sin wt + j cos wt)

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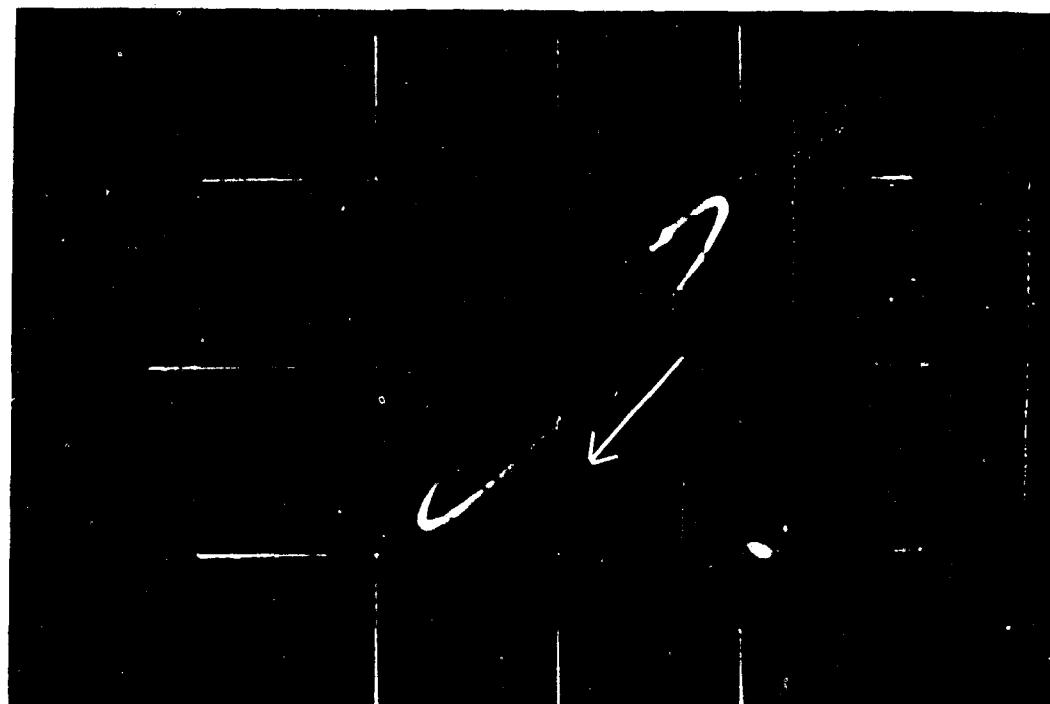
FIGURE 6-29

COMBINED R AND Я CIRCLES

FIGURE 6-30

LOWER: THE THIRD HARMONIC $\bar{R}_3 + \bar{R}_3$, $(R_3 = R_3)$
UPPER: EFFECT OF ADDING THE THIRD HARMONIC TO
THE COMBINED $\bar{R}$ AND $\bar{R}$ CIRCLES

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and $\bar{\text{A}}$ except that the frequency is three times as great, and provision is added for inserting initial conditions so as to shift the phase of the wave. The computer mechanization is shown in Figure 6-31. This component is then described as:

$$x_3 = A_3 \sin (3\omega t + e) \tag{6-90}$$

It is added to the horizontal axis through the same summing amplifier used for $\bar{\text{R}}$ and $\bar{\text{A}}$ (see Figure 6-32).

Figures 6-33 through 6-36 show the effect of change in phase of the $\bar{\text{R}}_3 + \bar{\text{A}}_3$ component on the shape of the figure. In order to show clearly the phase relation of the third harmonic, this component was expanded and displayed with a linear horizontal time base. The flat section at the beginning of each three cycles, or one cycle of the fundamental, with respect to the horizontal axis represents the value of $\bar{\text{R}}_3 + \bar{\text{A}}_3$ at the instant the problem is started. The positions correspond to:

$$\bar{\text{R}}_3 + \bar{\text{A}}_3 = A_3 \sin (3\omega t + 0) \qquad \text{(Figure 6-33)}$$

$$\bar{\text{R}}_3 + \bar{\text{A}}_3 = A_3 \sin (3\omega t - 30°) \qquad \text{(Figure 6-34)}$$

$$\bar{\text{R}}_3 + \bar{\text{A}}_3 = A_3 \sin (3\omega t - 60°) \qquad \text{(Figure 6-35)}$$

$$\bar{\text{R}}_3 + \bar{\text{A}}_3 = A_3 \sin (3\omega t - 90°) \qquad \text{(Figure 6-36)}$$

These synthetic figures exhibit how little third harmonic is required to generate the type of hysteresis loop that is characteristic of heavily stressed metals. For this same amount of third harmonic, the figure passes from metallic-type loops to a type of loop that is characteristic of clay.
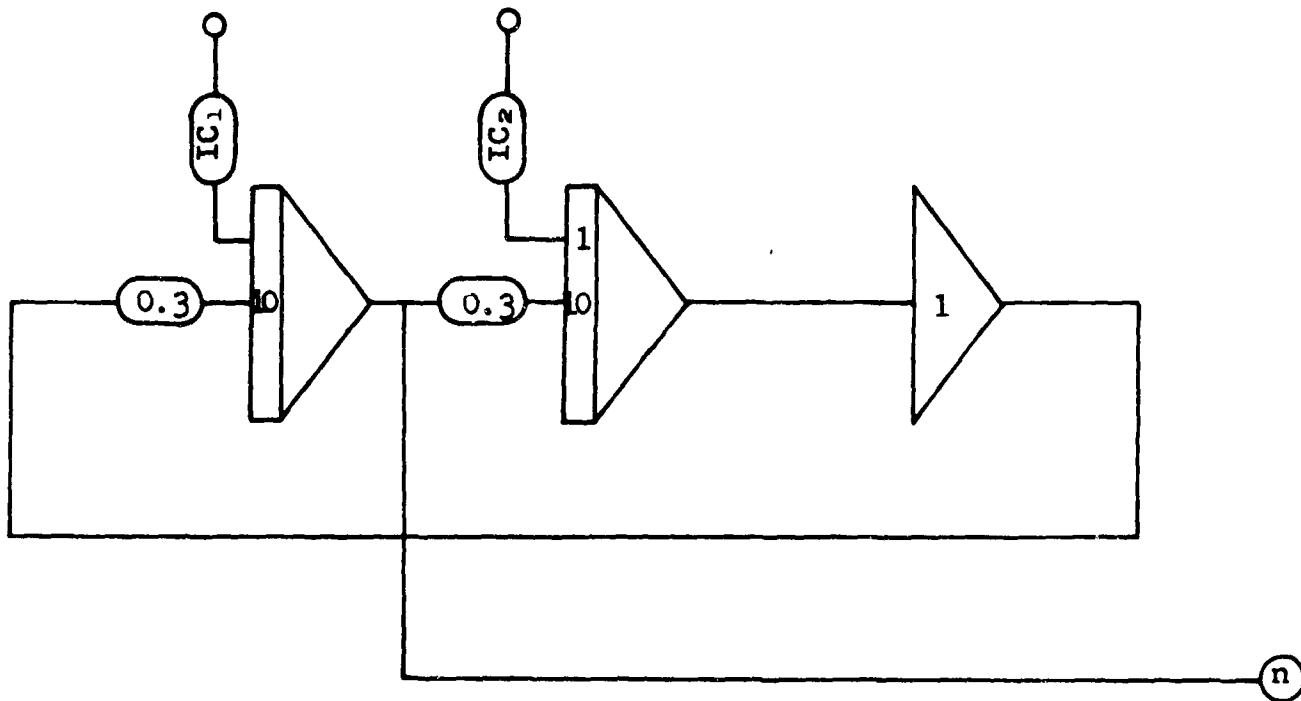
FIGURE 6-31

COMPUTER MECHANIZATION FOR SIMULATION OF:

$$\bar{R}_3 + \bar{H}_3 = A_3[\sin(3\omega T + \alpha) + j\cos(3\omega t + \alpha)]$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}\frac{IC_1}{IC_2}$$

$$A_3 = \sqrt{IC_1{}^2 + IC_2{}^2}$$

$\overline{R}$ (V)

$\overline{A}$ (V)

VERTICAL AXIS

TO VERTICAL AXIS
OF OSCILLOSCOPE

$\overline{R}$ (n)

$\overline{S}$ (n)

$\overline{R}_3 + \overline{S}_3$ (n)

TO HORIZONTAL AXIS
OF OSCILLOSCOPE
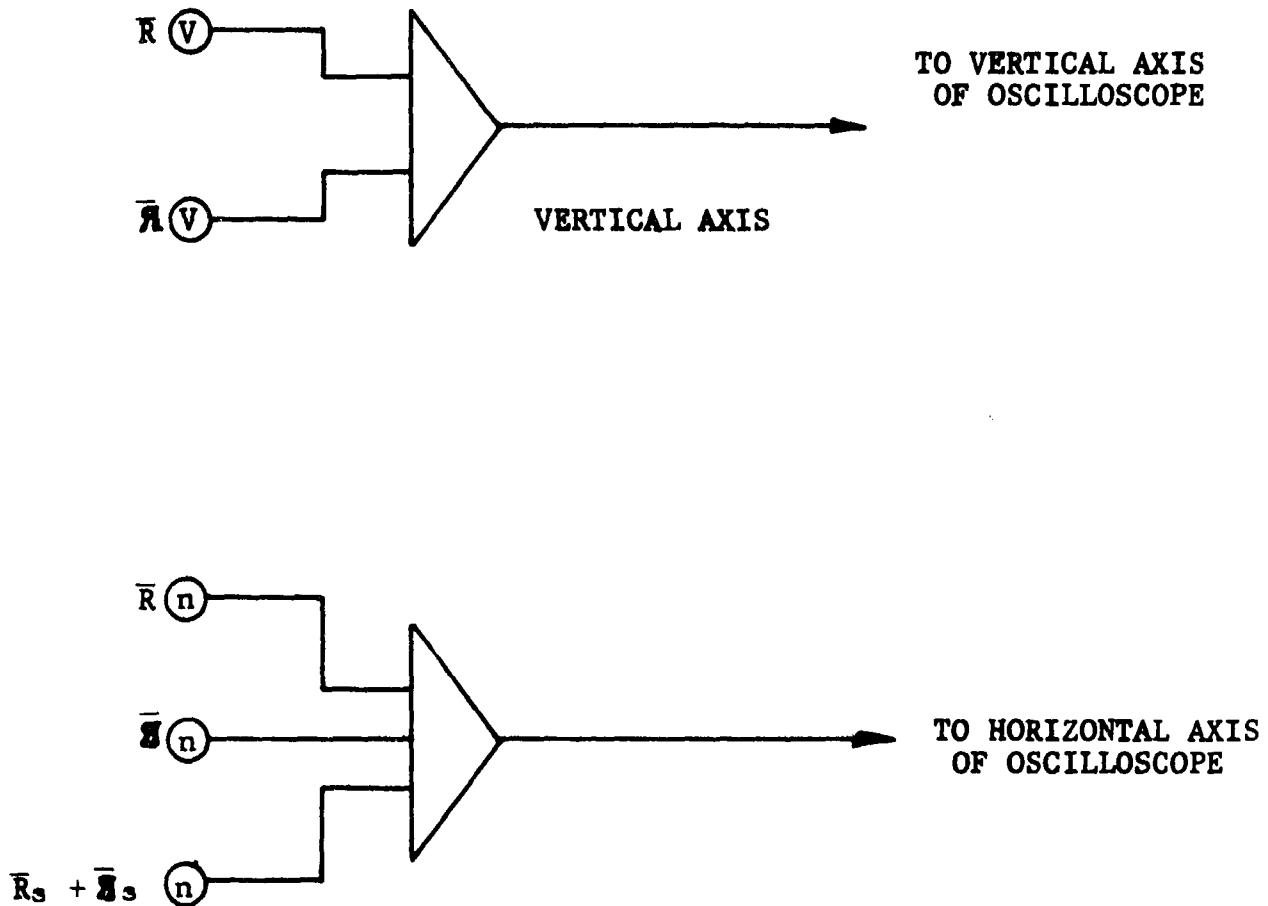
FIGURE 6-32

SUMMING AMPLIFIERS

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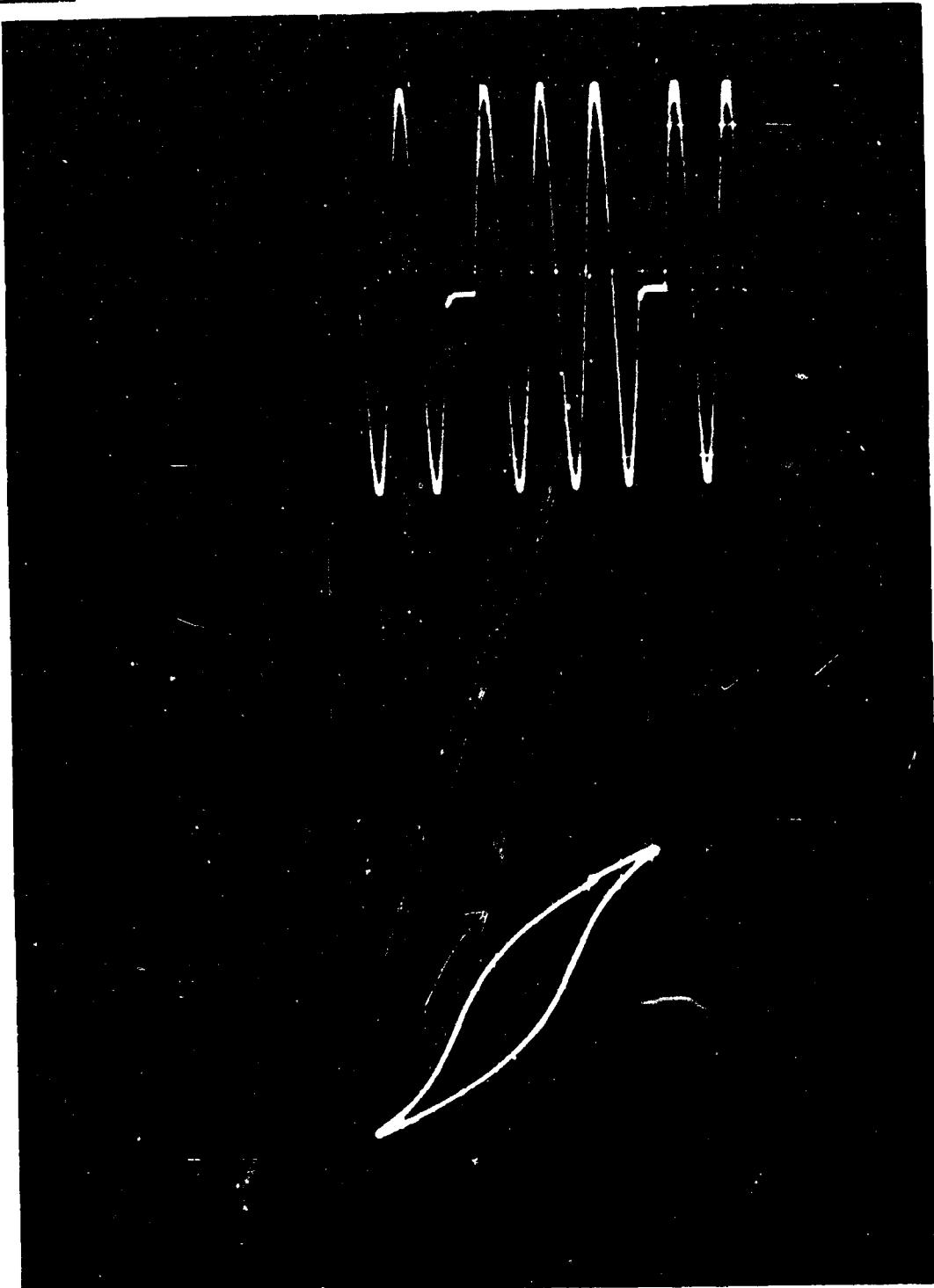
FIGURE 6-33

EFFECT OF
$$\overline{R}_3 + \overline{\overline{R}}_3 = A_3 \sin (3\omega t + 0)$$
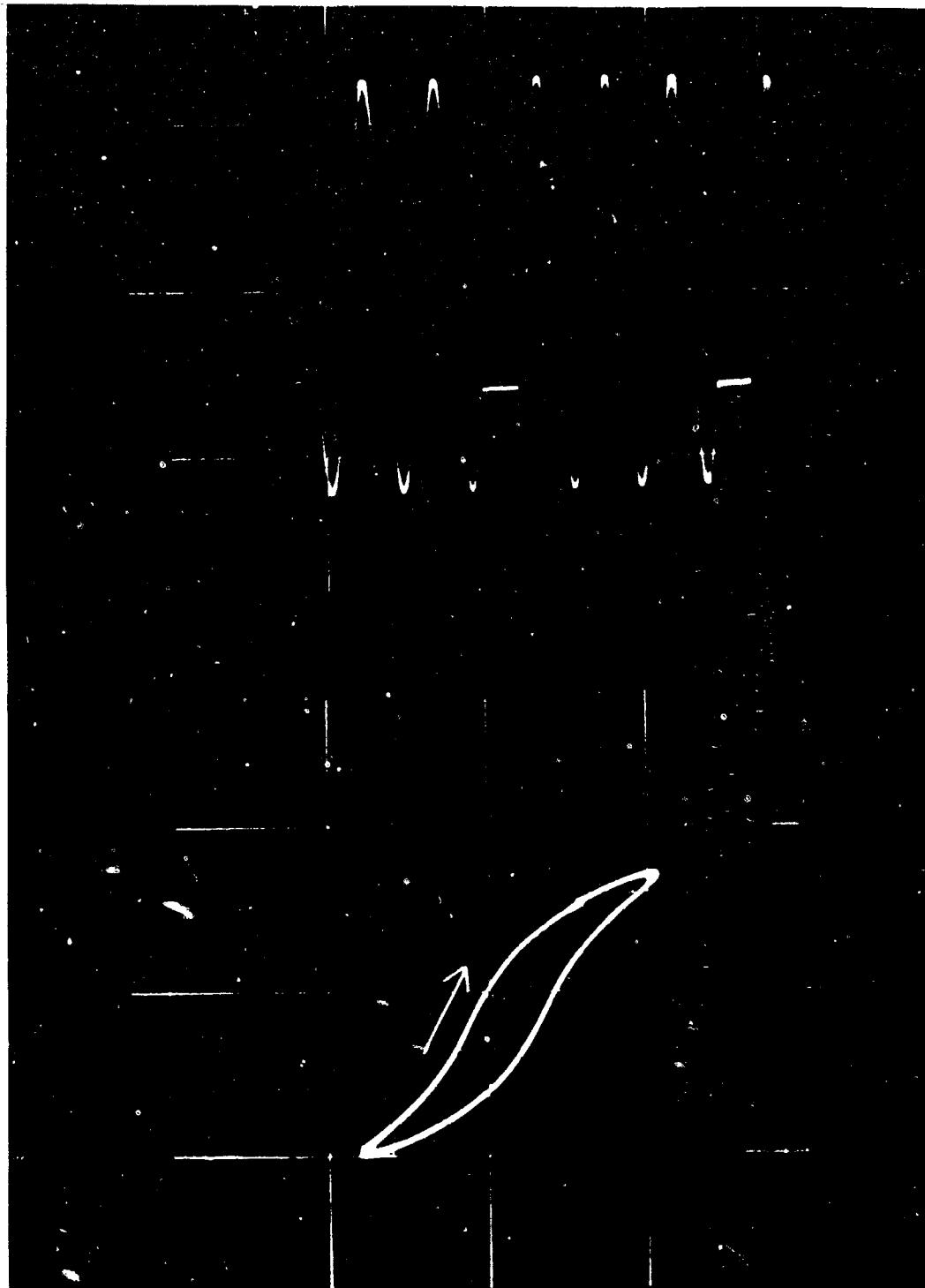
FIGURE 6-34

EFFECT OF

$$\overline{R}_3 + \overline{A}_3 = A_3 \sin (3\omega t - 30°)$$

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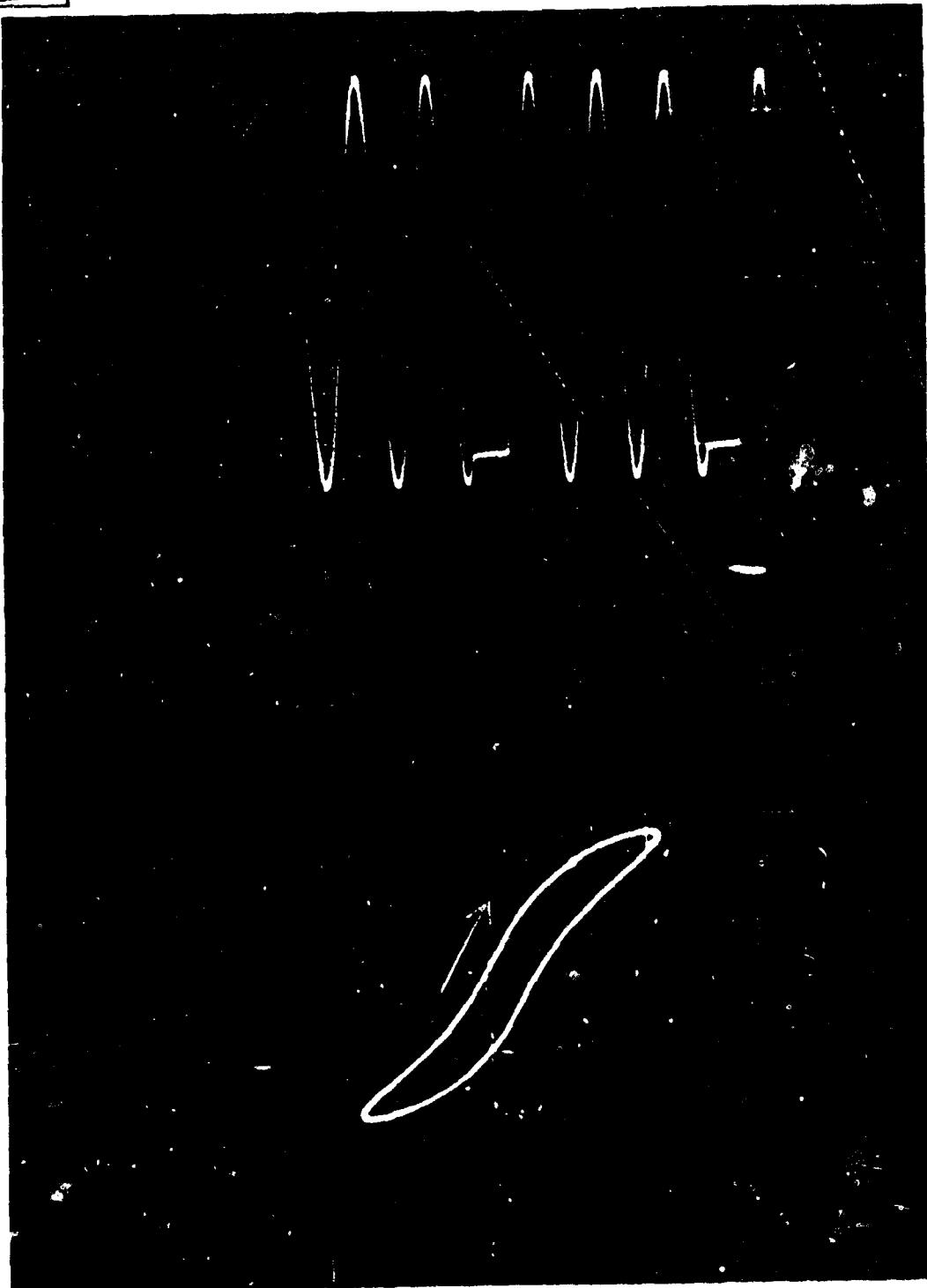
FIGURE 6-35

$$\bar{\Lambda}_3 + \bar{H}_3 = A_3 \sin(3\omega t - 60°)$$

FIGURE 6-36

$$\overline{R}_3 + \overline{A}_3 = A_3 \sin (3\omega t - 90°)$$
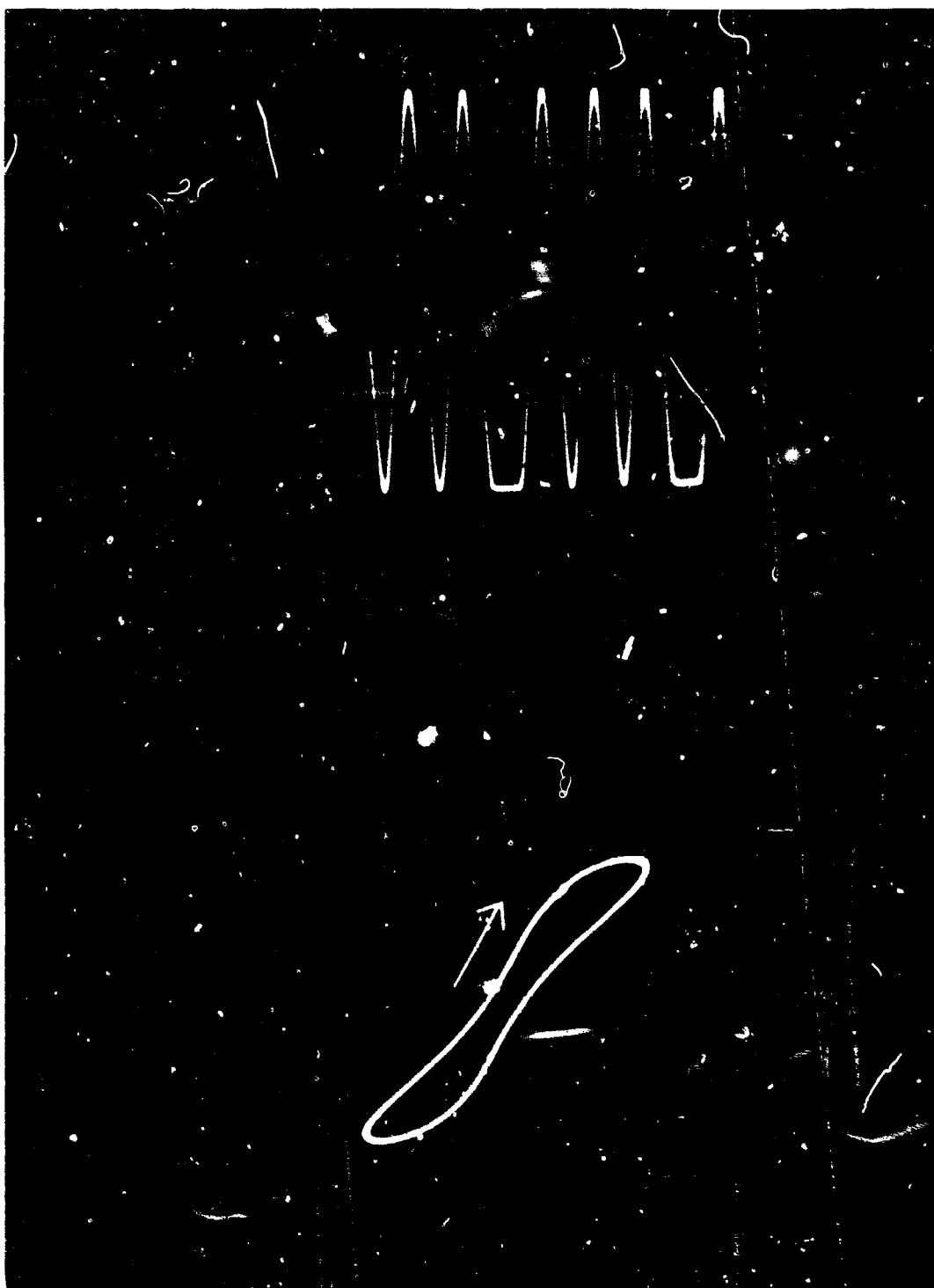
6.5.3.4 Stress Inputs Versus Strain Inputs for Generation of Hysteresis Loops

It has been seen that a sinusoidal stress input σ_1 will in any nonlinear material produce strain outputs of ϵ_1, ϵ_2, ... ϵ_n.

Similarly, a sinusoidal strain input ϵ_1 will produce a stress output $\sigma_1 \sigma_2 + \sigma_n$. In either case $\overset{+}{E_1} = \frac{\sigma_1}{\epsilon_1} e^{i(\phi_1 - \psi_1)}$ is presumed to be the same. In neither case, however, can any of the other $\overset{+}{E_n}$ be defined. Whenever a nonlinear material of any sort produces a distorted strain output in response to a pure sinusoidal stress input σ_1 or a distorted stress output in response to a pure sinusoidal strain input ϵ_1, $\overset{+}{E_n}$, $n > 1$ cannot be defined by a single experiment.

If $\sigma_n = 0, \left| \overset{\pm}{E_n} \right| = 0$ and no direction can be assigned to it.

If $\epsilon_n = 0$, $\overset{\doteq}{E}_n$ is not defined. The effect on $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{R}_n$ is to produce the 'degenerate' cases.

For $\sigma_n = 0$,

$$\frac{\alpha_n + \beta_n}{2} = 0, \quad \alpha_n = -\beta_n \tag{6-91}$$

$$R_n = R_n = \frac{\epsilon_n}{2} \tag{6-92}$$

If $c_n = 0$,

$$\frac{\alpha_n + \beta_n}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2} \qquad (6\text{-}93)$$

$$R_n = \mathcal{R}_n = \frac{\sigma_n}{2} \qquad (6\text{-}94)$$

These conclusions follows from the definitions of $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{\mathcal{R}}_n$

$$\overline{R}_n = R_n e^{i\alpha_n} = \frac{c_n}{2} e^{i\psi_n} + \frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{i\phi_n} \qquad (6\text{-}95)$$

$$\overline{\mathcal{R}}_n = \mathcal{R}_n e^{i\beta_n} = \frac{c_n}{2} e^{-i\psi_n} - \frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{-i\phi_n} \qquad (6\text{-}96)$$

Suppose now that two experiments are performed on the same test bar.

Experiment 1

Apply a sinusoidal stress σ_1 and observe each resulting pair $\overline{R}_{n_1}$ $\overline{\mathcal{R}}_{n_1}$ with the aid of the oscilloscope. Carefully note the proportion and time base of the $n = 1$ elipse.

Then $\qquad \overline{R}_{n_1} = \frac{c_{n_1}}{2} e^{i\psi_{n_1}} = R_{n_1} e^{i\alpha_{n_1}} \qquad (6\text{-}97$

$$\overline{\mathcal{R}}_{n_1} = \frac{c_{n_1}}{2} e^{-i\psi_{n_1}} = \mathcal{R}_{n_1} e^{i\beta_{n_1}} \qquad (6\text{-}98)$$

for all cases $n > 1$

Experiment 2

Apply a sinusoidal strain ϵ_1 and adjust its magnitude to obtain precisely the same $n = 1$ elipse having the same time base as in Experiment 1.

Then each $\overline{R}_{n_2} = \dfrac{\sigma_{n_2}}{2} e^{i\phi_{n_2}} = R_{n_2} e^{i\alpha_{n_2}}$ (6-99)

$$\overline{\mathcal{R}}_{n_2} = \frac{\sigma_n}{2} e^{-i\phi_n} = \mathcal{R}_{n_2} e^{i\beta_{n_2}} \tag{6-100}$$

Then let

$$\overline{R}_n = \overline{R}_{n_1} + \overline{R}_{n_2} \tag{6-101}$$

$$\overline{R}_n = R_n e^{i\alpha_n} \tag{6-102}$$

$$\overline{R}_n = \frac{\epsilon_{n_1}}{2} e^{i\psi_{n_1}} + \frac{\sigma_{n_2}}{2} e^{i\phi_{n_2}} \quad (\text{at } t = 0) \tag{6-103}$$

and, similarly $\overline{\mathcal{R}}_n = \overline{\mathcal{R}}_{n_1} + \overline{\mathcal{R}}_{n_2} = \mathcal{R}_n e^{i\beta_n}$ (6-104)

$$\overline{\mathcal{R}}_n = \frac{\epsilon_{n_1}}{2} e^{-i\psi_{n_1}} - \frac{\sigma_{n_2}}{2} e^{-i\phi_{n_2}} \tag{6-105}$$

Then $\overset{+}{E}_n = \dfrac{\sigma_n}{\epsilon_n} e^{i(\phi_n - \psi_n)}$ (6-106)

It is hoped that a long-standing controversy among materials engineers can be resolved. One school of thought prefers the use of sinusoidal stress inputs to generate hysteresis loops. To accomplish this, a voice coil-type force generator (ideally zero mechanical impedance source) may be used. Strain may then be recorded as detected by a strain gauge.

Another school of thought prefers sinusoidal strain inputs to generate hysteresis loops. These are conveniently attained by use of a motor-driven cam or crank (infinite impedance source). Stress may then be measured by means of a force transducer such as a load cell. Each school of thought has had its partisans.

It is now apparent that to define clearly the parameters R_n, $\mathcal{R}_n$, α_n, β_n and the modulus $\overset{+}{E}_n$ it is necessary to use both a stress input and a strain input in two separate experiments.

The figure corresponding to this unique set of parameters is some sort of "generalized" hysteresis loop. An attempt to explore a few of the implications of these concepts will be undertaken in the next section.

6.5.4 The Generalized Hysteresis Loop and Its Representation by Power Series

6.5.4.1 Introduction

"Mathematical Research does not proceed in a series of rigorous little steps from the known into the unknown. Instead, the first step is to fling all rigor to the winds and proceed with uninhibited abandon. Only if you encounter something of interest do you retrace your steps to plug the loopholes with rigor."

(Quoted by memory from a classroom lecture by Professor Copeland, University of Michigan, Mathematics Department, about 1949).

Professor Copeland's prescription provides the method used in this section. No pretense is made of rigor. Intuition, plausibility, and analogy are freely substituted for it without apology.

The results are indeed interesting and vindicate the method. A generalized hysteresis loop is found that appears to truly represent any material, whether it be linear or nonlinear.

The generalized loop is shown to be expressible as a power series that is an expansion of any desired input. The power series has the desirable characteristic of increasing the influence of the nonlinearities as the magnitude of the input increases.

The existence of the power series representation for the generalized loop leads to the hypothesis that a single set of unique coefficients, usually few in number, may represent the behavior of a material for any input and over a wide range of input magnitudes. Further, if coefficients vary, their history represents the stress history of the specimen.

Time limitations have precluded the completion of the last step, the provision of rigor, or even experimental verifications. It is hoped that others in the field will find the results interesting enough to explore them further.

It is hoped that a long-standing controversy among materials engineers can be resolved. One school of thought prefers the use of sinusoidal stress inputs to generate hysteresis loops. To accomplish this, a voice coil-type force generator (ideally zero mechanical impedance source) may be used. Strain may then be recorded as detected by a strain gauge.

Another school of thought prefers sinusoidal strain inputs to generate hysteresis loops. These are conveniently attained by use of a motor-driven cam or crank (infinite impedance source). Stress may then be measured by means of a force transducer such as a load cell. Each school of thought has had its partisans.

It is now apparent that to define clearly the parameters R_n, $\mathcal{R}_n$, α_n, β_n and the modulus $\overset{+}{E}_n$ it is necessary to use both a stress input and a strain input in two separate experiments.

The figure corresponding to this unique set of parameters is some sort of "generalized" hysteresis loop. An attempt to explore a few of the implications of these concepts will be undertaken in the next section.

6.5.4.2 Normalization

Careful normalization of the stress-strain plane greatly simplifies the vector manipulations that follow. Experience has shown that the normalization to be preferred is that shown in Figure 6-37. For the viscoelastic or $n = 1$ ellipse, the maximum strain is adjusted to equal the maximum (dimensionless) stress in magnitude. This magnitude is designated "a". Furthermore, zero time is chosen such that for a sinusoidal strain input, the component strain vectors lie on the real axis as shown. Then the positive rotating stress vector component is located at an angle δ past the $i\sigma$ axis and points the direction of $\overset{+}{E}_1$. The angle of inclination of the ellipse is $\frac{\pi}{4}$. $\overset{+}{E}_1$ is a unit vector

$$\overset{+}{E}_1 = e^{i\left(\delta + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)} \tag{6-107}$$

where δ is the conventional angle by which stress leads strain. Finally, both the stress components and the strain components all have the magnitude $\frac{a}{2}$.

6.5.4.3 Relation of Stress and Strain

The Ptolemaic model made no sharp distinction between stress and strain but simply accepted them as found. This was justified by their parametric relations. The apparently obvious distinction between stress and strain tends to disappear when subjected to close scrutiny. Yet the results of sinusoidal stress or sinusoidal strain inputs differ for nonlinear materials. For both, all distortion terms appear in quadrature. This point is at least partly resolved in the following paragraphs.

NOTES:
1. OPEN POINTS: STRESS COMPONENTS
2. CLOSED POINTS: STRAIN COMPONENTS
3. VECTORS ROTATE IN THE DIRECTION INDICATED BY THE CORNER OF THE HALF POINT
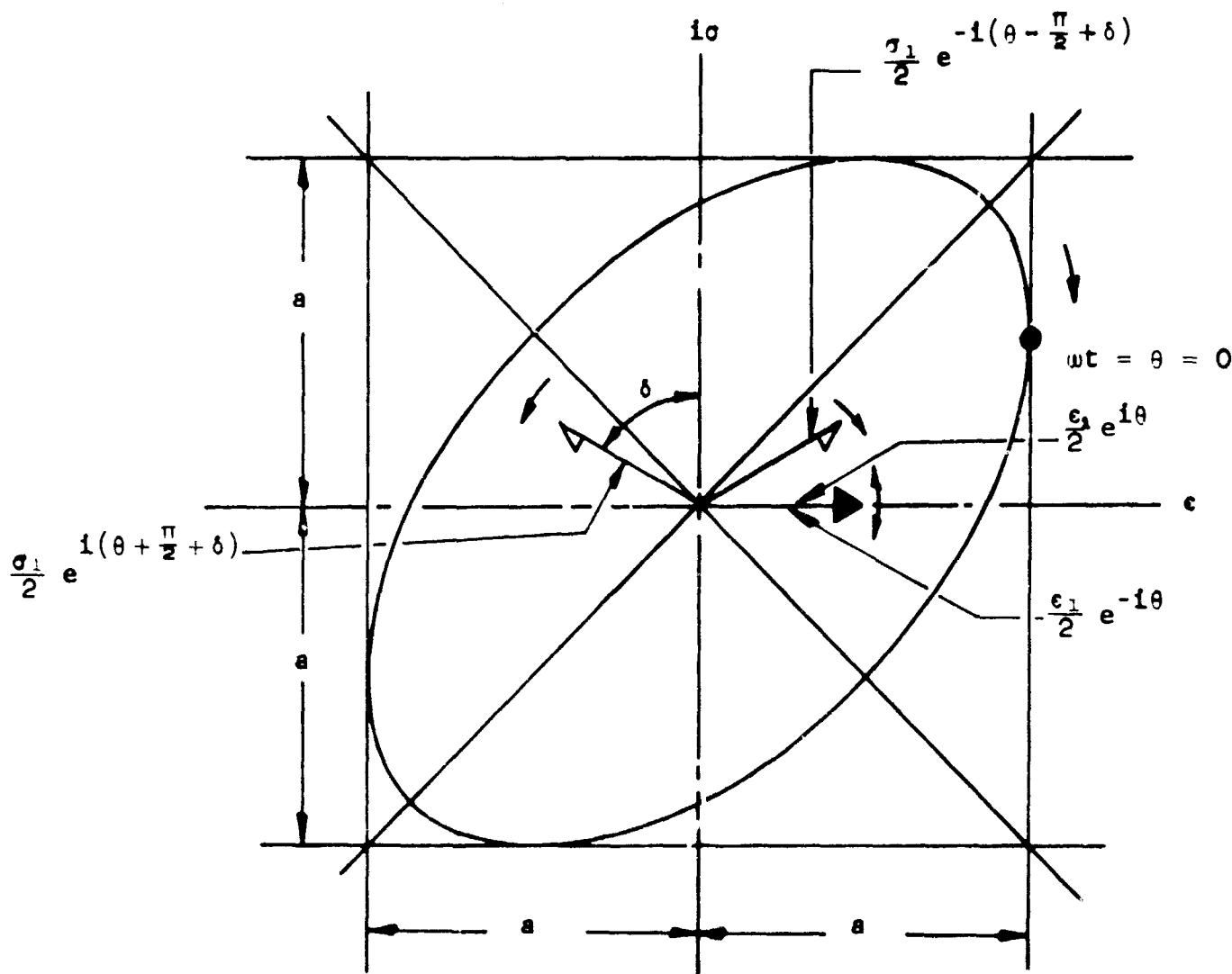
FIGURE 6-37

NORMALIZATION OF THE FIRST ORDER ELLIPSE, SHOWN FOR INPUT $\epsilon = a \cos \theta$

Referring to Figure 6-38b, the vector $a e^{i\theta}$ is considered to rotate with angular velocity $\theta = \omega t$. Its vertical projection defines a sinusoidal strain input, and the result of its application to a viscoelastic material is shown in Figure 6-38c. Note the time mark and the position of the stress component and strain component vectors.

The horizontal projection of the same vector corresponds to a sinusoidal stress input. Figure 6-38a shows its effect on a viscoelastic material. Note the revised position of the stress component and strain component vectors and the time mark. For a viscoelastic material this appears to be the only distinction possible, since both ellipses are identical. It is, however, the needed distinction.

Figure 6-39 shows the vectors $\overline{R}_{\epsilon_1}$ and $\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\epsilon_1}$ which may be constructed from the component vectors and the time mark for sinusoidal strain input. Notice the use of the subscript ϵ to designate strain input as well as the usual numerical subscript to designate order number. Similarly, Figure 6-39a shows the vectors $\overline{R}_{\sigma_1}$ and $\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\sigma_1}$ constructed from the component vectors and the time mark for a stress input. Note also that the generating vector is designated differently for stress and strain inputs:

$$[\overline{F}]_{\theta=0} = \overline{R}_{\epsilon_1} + \overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\epsilon_1} \tag{6-108}$$

$$[\overline{G}]_{\theta=0} = \overline{R}_{\sigma_1} + \overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\sigma_1} \tag{6-109}$$

With this as preparation, a single loop will be constructed to represent both cases. This will be designated as generated by the resultant vector $\overline{H}$.

(a)

(b)

SEE FIGURE 6-37
FOR VECTOR CODE

(c)
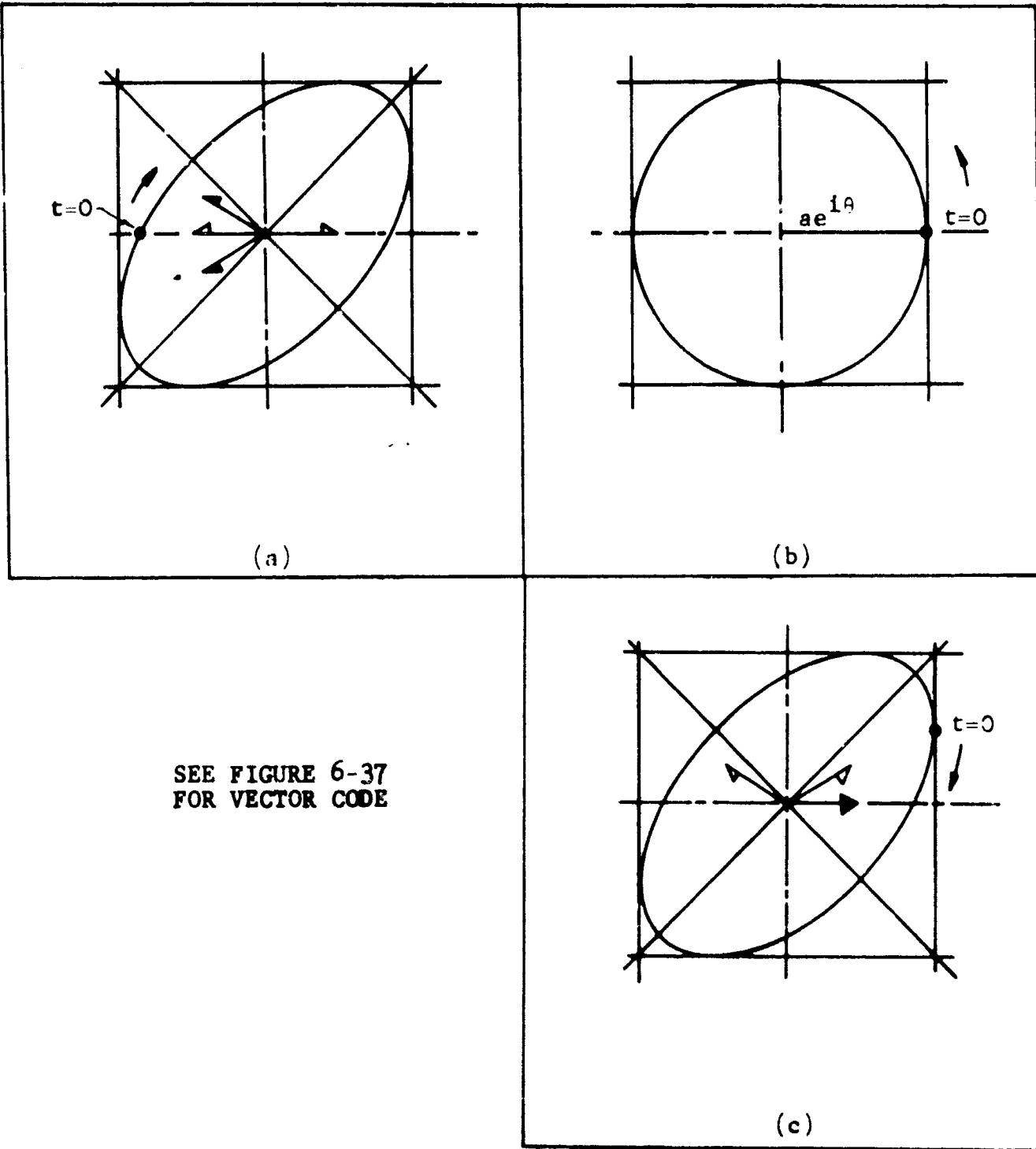
FIGURE 6-38

**RELATION OF STRESS INPUT TO STRAIN INPUT
FOR A VISCOELASTIC MATERIAL**

(a)

$$\overline{G}_1 = \overline{R}_{\sigma_1} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{\sigma_1}$$

(b)

(c)

$$\overline{H}_1 = \frac{\overline{F}_1 - \overline{G}_1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

(d)

$$\overline{F}_1 = \overline{R}_{\epsilon_1} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{\epsilon_1}$$
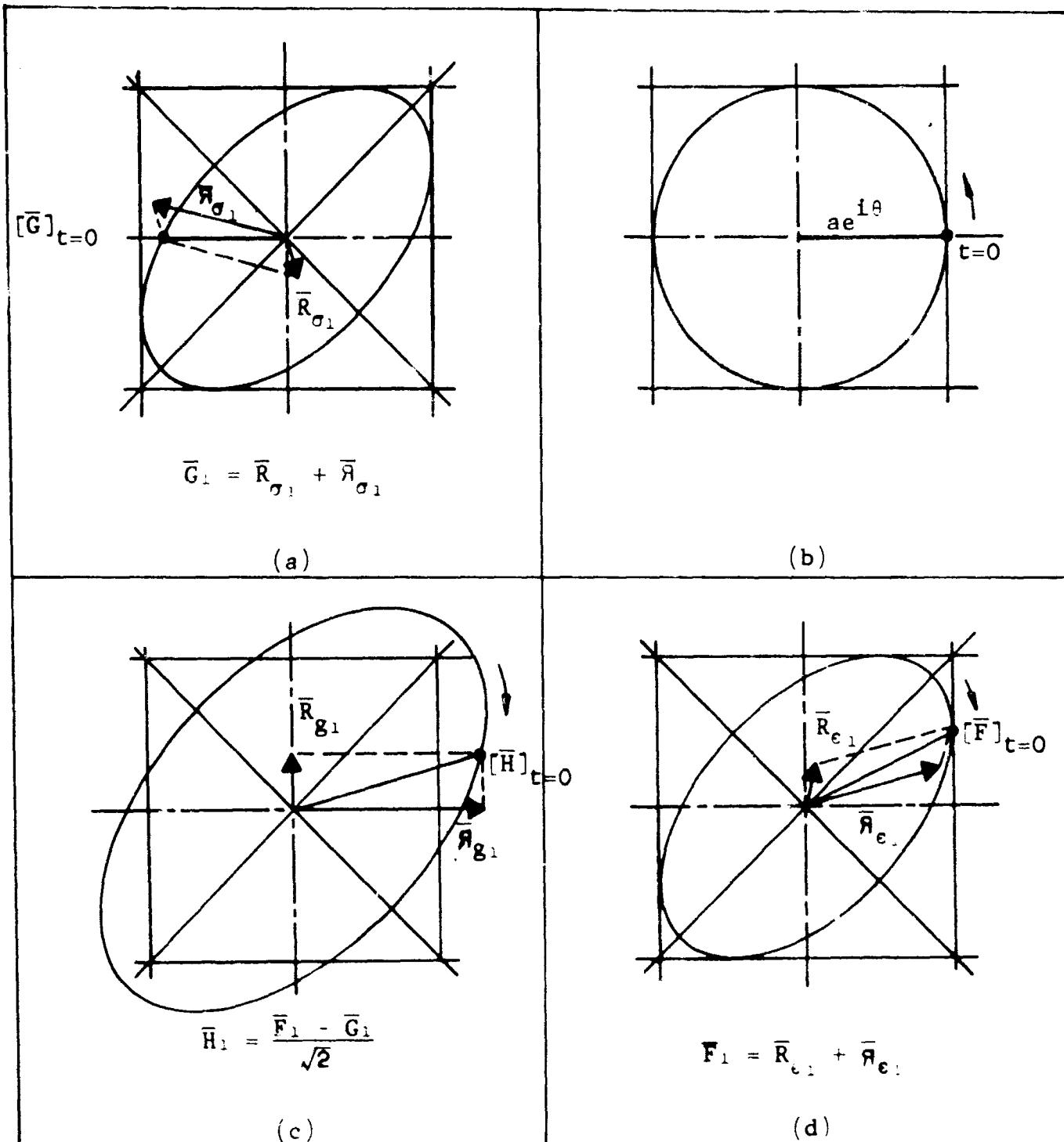
FIGURE 6-39

THE CONSTRUCTION OF $\overline{F}$, $\overline{G}$, AND $\overline{H} = \frac{\overline{F} - \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}}$ AT $t = 0$

6.5.4.4 The Generalized Loop

6.5.4.4.1 The Viscoelastic Case

The shape of a periodic stress-strain loop depends on the shape and nature of the driving signal. Test machines normally use sinusoidal strain generated by a source having very high mechanical impedance (cams, etc.) or sinusoidal stress generated by a source having near zero mechanical impedance (voice coils, etc.'. These are idealizations seldom encountered in real machinery.

Mathematically there is no difficulty in simultaneously subjecting the specimen to sinusoidal stress and sinusoidal strain. This can be approximated on conventional test apparatus by superimposing the results of alternate stress input and strain input tests. The immediate purpose is to perform this superposition on a viscoelastic material.

Let $\overline{F}_1$ represent the vector that generates the elliptical loop for a viscoelastic material subjected to sinusoidal strain.

$$\overline{F}_1 = \epsilon_1 \cos(\theta + \psi_1) + i\tau_1 \sin(\theta + \phi_1) \tag{6-110}$$

For the normalization shown in Figure 6-37,

$$\epsilon_1 = \tau_1 = a \tag{6-111}$$

$$\psi_1 = 0 \tag{6-112}$$

$$\phi_1 = \frac{\pi}{2} + \delta \tag{6-113}$$

$$\overline{F}_1 = R_{\epsilon_1} e^{i\theta} + \mathcal{A}_{\epsilon_1} e^{-i\theta} \tag{6-114}$$

$$\overline{R}_{\epsilon_1} = \frac{a}{2} \left[1 + e^{i\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \delta\right)} \right] \tag{6-115}$$

$$\overline{R}_{\epsilon_1} = \frac{a}{2} \left(1 + \overset{+}{E}_1 \right) \tag{6-116}$$

$$\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\epsilon_1} = \frac{a}{2} \left[1 - e^{-i\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \delta\right)} \right] \tag{6-117}$$

$$\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\epsilon_1} = \frac{a}{2} \left(1 - \overset{+}{E}_1{}^* \right) = \frac{a}{2} \left(1 + \bar{E}_1 \right) \tag{6-118}$$

Let $\overline{G}$ represent the vector which generates the elliptical loop for a sinusoidal stress input. In general form $\overline{G}_1$ would be written

$$\overline{G}_1 = i\sigma_1 \sin (\theta + \phi_1') + \epsilon_1 \cos (\theta + \psi_1') \tag{6-119}$$

Here the primed phase angles simply indicate a dependence of the phase angle on the choice of input. The real and imaginary terms have been reversed from their usual order also.

After normalization, $\overline{G}_1$ may be written

$$\overline{G}_1 = R_{\sigma_1} e^{i\theta} + \mathcal{A}_{\sigma_1} e^{-i\theta} \tag{6-120}$$

$$R_{\sigma_1} = \frac{a}{2} \left(1 + \overset{+}{E}_1{}^* \right) \tag{6-121}$$

$$\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\sigma_1} = \frac{a}{2} \left(-1 + \overset{+}{E}_1 \right) = \frac{a}{2} \left(-1 - \bar{E}_1{}^* \right) \tag{6-122}$$

$$= \frac{a}{2} \left(-1 - \overline{E}_1{}^* \right)$$

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$[\overline{F}]_{\theta=0}$ and $[\overline{G}]_{\theta=0}$ are shown in Figure 6-39.

It would seem logical to simply add $\overline{F}$ and $\overline{G}$ to try for a generalized generating vector $\overline{H}$, but it turns out not to behave properly in limiting cases. Note that Equation 6-110, if normalized, becomes

$$\overline{F} = a \cos \theta + \text{quadrature term} \qquad (6\text{-}123)$$

and Equation 6-119 may be written

$$\overline{G} = ia \sin \theta + \text{quadrature term} \qquad (6\text{-}124)$$

then

$$\overline{F} + \overline{G} = ae^{i\theta} + \text{other terms} \qquad (6\text{-}125)$$

In each case, the first term describes the input. But it was seen in the Ptolemaic formulation that the vector $e^{-i\theta}$ is associated with the process of energy entering the material. The correct choice will prove to be:

$$\overline{F} - \overline{G} = ae^{-i\theta} + \text{other terms} \qquad (6\text{-}126)$$

The vector $\overline{F}$ is the result of applying the forcing function

$$\epsilon = \epsilon_1 \cos \theta \qquad (6\text{-}127)$$

to the specimen. The vector $\overline{G}$ is the result of applying the forcing function

$$\sigma = \sigma_1 \sin \theta \qquad (6\text{-}128)$$

to the specimen, presumably in a separate experiment.

These two inputs are in quadrature. An electrical analogy would involve two equal sinusoidal voltages applied in quadrature to the same circuit. The vector addition of these voltages would be larger than either single voltage by a factor of $\sqrt{2}$. Then the total power dissipation would be twice as great as for a single voltage, since power is proportional to the square of the voltage. This analogy suggests the factor $\sqrt{2}$ in the definition of $\overline{H}$. Thus,

$$\overline{H} = \frac{\overline{F} - \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}} \qquad \text{(see Figure 6-39)} \qquad (6\text{-}129)$$

The locus of the tip of $\overline{H}$ is designated as the generalized hysteresis loop.

Figure 6-39 shows $[\overline{H}]_{\theta=0}$ for the case $\delta = \frac{\pi}{3} = 60°$. Before examining this figure in detail, it is instructive to consider the limiting cases.

If $\delta = 0$, the material is perfectly elastic and no energy dissipation occurs. As a result

$$\overline{R}_{g_1} = \overline{\mathcal{A}}_{g_1} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} a \qquad (6\text{-}130)$$

Figure 6-40 shows the hysteresis loop for strain input and stress input, as well as their zero time marks. Each is simply the diagonal of the square having sides 2a. Figure 6-40c shows the locus of $\overline{H}$ and the location of $\overline{R}_{g_1}$ and $^{-}_{g_1}$ at time equals 0. The locus of $\overline{H}$ is identical with that of $\overline{F}$ or $\overline{G}$ except for the location of the zero time mark.

$$[\overline{G}]_{\theta=0} = \overline{R}_{\sigma_1} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{\sigma_1}$$

(a)

$$ae^{i\theta}$$
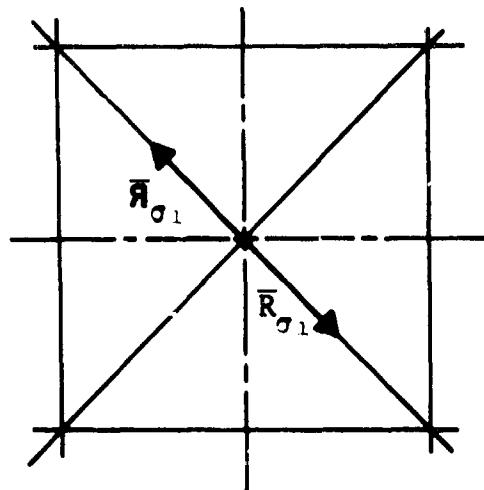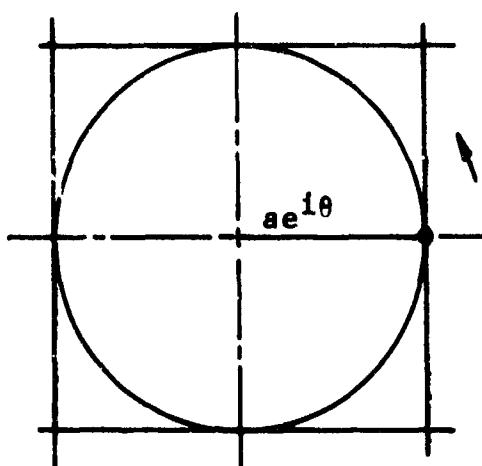
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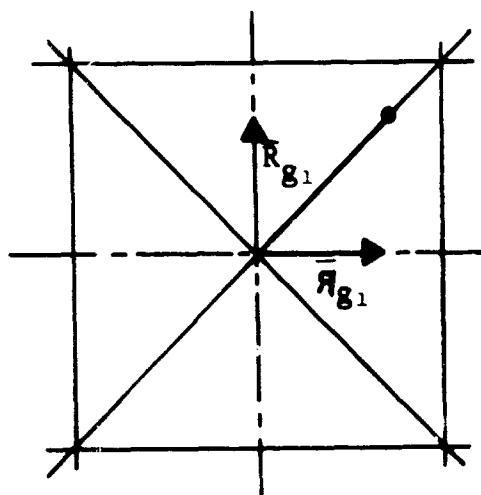
$$[\overline{H}]_{\theta=0} = \overline{R}_{g_1} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{g_1} = \frac{\overline{F} - \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

(c)
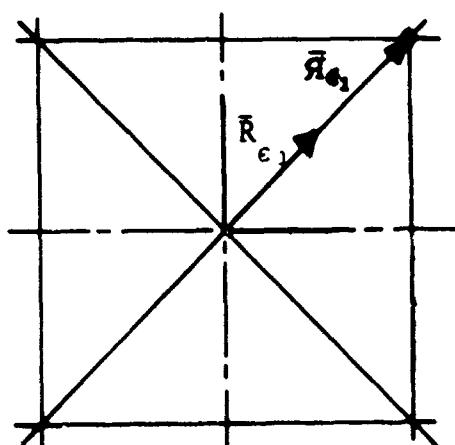
$$[\overline{F}]_{\theta=0} = \overline{R}_{\epsilon_1} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{\epsilon_1}$$

(d)

FIGURE 6-40

$\overline{F}$, $\overline{G}$ AND $\overline{H}$ FOR THE CASE $\delta = 0$

Define

$$\overline{R}_{g_1} = \frac{\overline{R}_{\epsilon_1} - \overline{R}_{\sigma_1}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-131}$$

$$\overline{\text{Я}}_{g_1} = \frac{\overline{\text{Я}}_{\epsilon_1} - \overline{\text{Я}}_{\sigma_1}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-132}$$

and note that $\overline{R}_{g_1}$ and $\overline{\text{Я}}_{g_1}$ are on the coordinate axes. By careful inspection of the figure it is apparent that the function

$$\text{H}^* = \frac{\overline{F} + \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-133}$$

would have produced an identical figure except for the interchange of the axes on which R_{g_1} and Я_{g_1} are located.

Figure 6-41 shows the hysteresis loops traced by $\overline{F}$, $\overline{G}$, and $\overline{H}$ for the case $\delta = \frac{\pi}{2} = 90^\circ$. This is the case of a material or structure having pure viscous damping and no stiffness. All three vectors generate circles.

Note that

$$R_{\epsilon_1} = R_{\sigma_1} = R_{g_1} = 0 \tag{6-134}$$

Since

$$\text{Я}_{\epsilon_1} = \text{Я}_{\sigma_1} = a \tag{6-135}$$

$$\overline{\text{Я}}_{g_1} = \sqrt{2}\,\overline{\text{Я}}_{\epsilon_1} = \sqrt{2}a \tag{6-136}$$

Thus, the locus of $\overline{\text{Я}}_{g_1}$ circumscribes the square of sides 2a and has an area (energy dissipation) twice that of the circle swept by either $\overline{F}$ or $\overline{G}$.

$$\overline{G} = \overline{A}_{\sigma 1}$$

(a)

$$ae^{i\theta}$$

(b)

$$[\overline{H}]_{\theta=0} = \frac{\overline{F} - \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}} = \overline{A}_{g1}$$

(c)
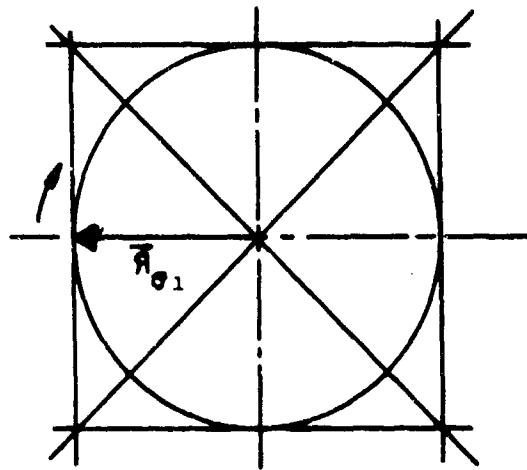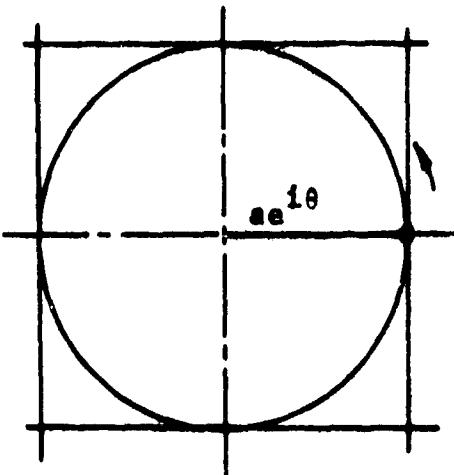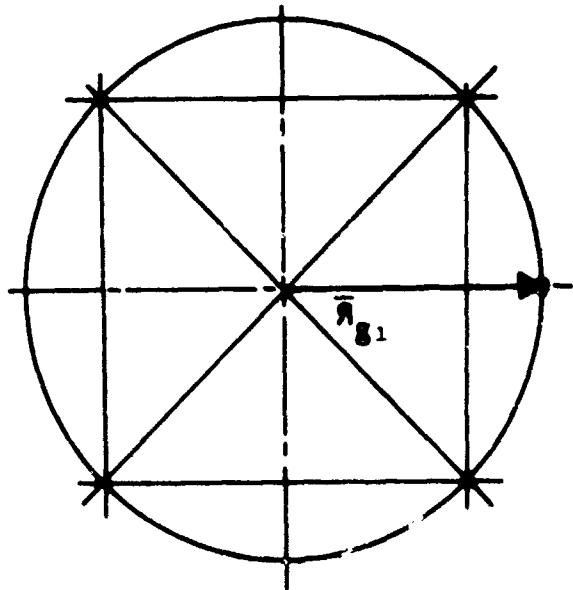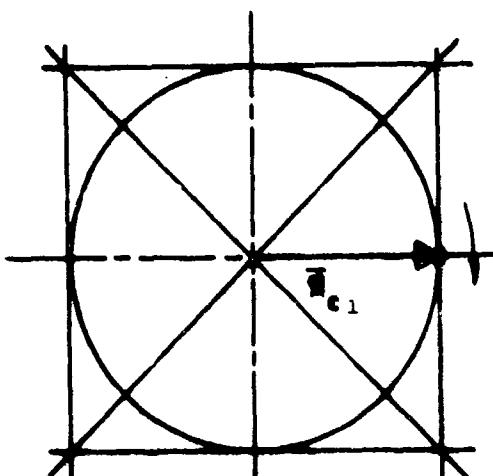
$$\overline{F} = \overline{A}_{c1}$$

(d)

FIGURE 6-41

$\overline{F}$, $\overline{G}$, AND $\overline{H}$ FOR THE CASE $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

By inspection of Figure 6-41 it is clear that for the function

$$\overline{H}^* = \frac{\overline{F} + \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-137}$$

both $\overline{R}_{g_1}$ and $\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{g_1}$ equal zero. This appears to be consistent with the fact that no energy is returned in this case.

Returning to the general viscoelastic case as illustrated in Figure 6-39, the behavior is intermediate. The locus of $\overline{H}_1$ is elliptical but is not a full $\sqrt{2}$ larger than the stress or strain ellipses. Again $\overline{R}_{g_1}$ and $\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{g_1}$ lie on the imaginary and real axes, respectively. This will prove to be extremely convenient for computations later.

It is important to emphasize at this point that the only reason it is possible to construct the generalized hysteresis loop for the viscoelastic case is that the behavior of the specimen is known for both a sinusoidal stress and a sinusoidal strain input. Without this knowledge, $\overline{H}$ cannot be constructed.

By use of Equations 6-116 and 6-118 for $\overline{R}_{\epsilon_1}$ and $\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\epsilon_1}$, combined with Equations 6-121 and 6-122 for R_{σ_1} and $\mathcal{A}_{\sigma_1}$, we are able to calculate the location and magnitude of $\overline{R}_{g_1}$ and $\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{g_1}$. The results are as follows:

$$\overline{R}_{g_1} = \frac{\overline{R}_{\epsilon_1} - \overline{R}_{\sigma_1}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-138}$$

$$\overline{R}_{g_1} = \frac{a}{2\sqrt{2}} \left[(1 + \overset{+}{E}_1) - (1 + \overset{+}{E}^*) \right] \tag{6-139}$$

$$\overline{R}_{g_1} = 1 \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} \, \mathrm{Im} \, \overset{+}{E} = 1 \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \delta \tag{6-140}$$

$$\overrightarrow{\overline{R}}_{g_1} = \frac{\overline{R}_{\epsilon_1} - \overline{R}_{\sigma_1}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-141}$$

$$\overline{R}_{g_1} = \frac{a}{2\sqrt{2}} \left[(1 + \overline{E}_1) - (-1 - \overline{E}^*) \right] \tag{6-142}$$

$$\overline{R}_{g_1} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} (1 + \mathrm{Re} \, \overline{E}) = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} (1 + \sin \delta) \tag{6-143}$$

The area of the generalized ellipse is, of course, pi times the product of the semiaxes.

$$\text{Area} = \pi \, (R_{g_1} + R_{g_1})(R_{g_1} - R_{g_1}) \tag{6-144}$$

$$\text{Area} = -\pi \, a^2 \, (\sin^2 \delta + \sin \delta) \tag{6-145}$$

$$\text{for } \delta = 0 \text{ (perfect elasticity)}$$

$$\text{Area} = 0 \tag{6-146}$$

$$\text{for } \delta = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ (viscous damping)}$$

$$\text{Area} = 2\pi \, a^2 \tag{6-147}$$

It is clear that the generalized hysteresis loop for the viscoelastic case is very simple and well behaved for all values of δ. The next objective is to generalize it to the case of non-linear materials.

6.5.4.4.2 The Nonlinear Case

The characteristic peculiarity of hysteresis loops produced by sinusoidal strain is the appearance of all distortion terms on the stress axis. Conversely, for stress inputs, all distortion appears on the strain axis. But Equation 6-123 shows that even the first order stress resulting from sinusoidal strain may be regarded as a distortion term in quadrature with the input. Similarly, Equation 6-124 shows first-order strain due to stress input to be of the ratio of a distortion term in quadrature.

It therefore seems quite natural to generalize $\overline{F}$ and $\overline{G}$ as follows:

$$\overline{F} = \epsilon_1 \cos\theta + i\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sigma_n \sin(n\theta + \phi_n) \tag{6-148}$$

$$\overline{G} = i\sigma_1 \sin\theta + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \epsilon_n \cos(n\theta + \psi_n) \tag{6-149}$$

Again, let

$$\overline{H} = \frac{\overline{F} - \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-150}$$

Then

$$\overline{H} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ae^{-i\theta} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \epsilon_n \cos(n\theta + \psi_n) - \sigma_n \, i \sin(n\theta + \phi_n) \right] \tag{6-151}$$

For the manipulations that follow it is more convenient to write $\overline{F}$, $\overline{G}$, and $\overline{H}$ as follows:

$$\overline{F} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \overline{R}_{\epsilon_n} e^{in\theta} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{\epsilon_n} e^{-in\theta} \qquad (6\text{-}152)$$

$$\overline{G} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \overline{R}_{\sigma_n} e^{in\theta} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{\sigma_n} e^{-in\theta} \qquad (6\text{-}153)$$

$$\overline{H} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \overline{R}_{g_n} e^{in\theta} + \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{g_n} e^{-in\theta} \qquad (6\text{-}154)$$

where

$$\overline{\overline{R}}_{g_n} = \frac{\overline{R}_{\epsilon_n} - \overline{R}_{\sigma_n}}{\sqrt{2}} \qquad (6\text{-}155)$$

$$\overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{g_n} = \frac{\overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{\epsilon_n} - \overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{\sigma_n}}{\sqrt{2}} \qquad (6\text{-}156)$$

The argument presented in Section 6.5.2.9 assures that, in general, $\overline{R}_{g_n}$ and $\overline{\mathfrak{R}}_{g_n}$ will produce an ellipse and permit definition of an $\overset{+}{E}_n$.

Again, to construct the generalized hysteresis loop, the results of both a strain input test and a stress input test are required, preferably with the tests conducted in succession on the same specimen. We do not know of any such data. Hence, the first generalized hysteresis loop for a real test bar of a non-linear material has yet to be drawn.

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6.5.4.5 Power Series Representation

6.5.4.5.1 Properties

So far, the model is purely a kinematic representation. The higher order terms are to be found by paired experiments, and the results of these experiments are to be plotted as a generalized loop. No prediction is possible for the shape of the generalized loop under some other magnitude or kind of input.

As a final step, knowledge will be sought of the nth terms as a function of the input--i.e., as a function of the parameters "a" and "δ".

Equation 6-154 is strongly suggestive of a power series and, in particular, is like a Laurent series because of the presence of terms in both $e^{in\theta}$ and $e^{-in\theta}$.

A power-series representation, if it exists, would have several attractive features. As the magnitude of the input increases, the influence of the higher terms increases. This is analogous to the behavior of most materials which are essentially linear in their behavior at small stress levels but show more and more nonlinearity as stress levels grow larger. Power series are quite tractable mathematically. There usually exist integrals by which the coefficients may be determined. Finally, most differential equations for nonlinear systems introduce the nonlinearity as the first few terms of a power series. For example, a nonlinear spring may be represented as having a spring constant K where

$$K = K_1 + aK_1^3 + \ldots \tag{6-157}$$

6.5.4.5.2 Derivation

It is a simple matter to formally express $\bar{H}$ as a power series.

Let

$$Z' = ae^{i\theta} \tag{6-158}$$

$$\overset{*}{Z}{}' = ae^{-i\theta} \tag{6-159}$$

$$\bar{H} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \bar{R}_{g_n} e^{in\theta} + \bar{\mathfrak{R}}_{g_n} e^{-in\theta} \tag{6-160}$$

$$\bar{H} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\bar{R}_{g_n}}{a^n} Z'^n + \frac{\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_{g_n}}{a^n} \overset{*}{Z}{}'^r \tag{6-161}$$

Define
$$\bar{R}_n = \frac{\bar{R}_{g_n}}{a^r} \tag{6-162}$$

$$\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_n = \frac{\bar{\mathfrak{R}}_{g_n}}{a^n} \tag{6-163}$$

$$\bar{H} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \bar{R}_n Z'^n + \bar{\mathfrak{R}}_n \left(\overset{*}{Z}{}'\right)^n \tag{6-164}$$

Laurent's series are power series in Z and $1/Z$. They are a unique representation of analytic functions and serve the function of mapping "inputs" such as unit circles into other closed figures. No attempt will be made here to discuss these series in detail, since they are dealt with extensively in many standard works on complex variables.

Laurent's series may be written as

$$F(Z) = A_o + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n (Z - Z_o)^n + B_n (Z - Z_o)^{-n} \qquad (6\text{-}165)$$

where

$$A_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_c \frac{F(Z')dZ'}{(Z' - Z_o)^{n+1}} \qquad (6\text{-}166$$

$$B_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_c \frac{F(Z')dZ'}{(Z' - Z_o)^{-n+1}} \qquad (6\text{-}167)$$

The integrations are carried out in the counterclockwise direction over a closed path around Z_o, such as over a unit circle centered at Z_o.

For $Z_c = 0$, which is the only case we are considering, the A_o term vanishes, and

$$F(Z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n Z^n + B_n Z^{-n} \qquad (6\text{-}168)$$

$$A_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_c \frac{F(Z')dZ'}{(Z')^{n+1}} \qquad (6\text{-}169)$$

$$B_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_c \frac{F(Z')dZ'}{(Z')^{-n+1}} \qquad (6\text{-}170)$$

It is clear that Equations 6-161 and 6-168 differ only in the use of $\overset{*}{Z}$ or Z^{-1}, which differ in their absolute values.

Thus, Equation 6-168 is a Laurent's series in $e^{i\theta}$ if $a = 1$. Equation 6-168 is a Laurent's series in $ae^{i\theta}$ if the coefficients A and B are functions of "a" as follows.

$$\text{Let} \quad A_n \, Z^n = \overline{R}_n \, Z^n = \frac{\overline{R}_{g_n}}{a^n} \, Z^n \tag{6-171}$$

$$B_n \, Z^{-n} = \overline{\mathcal{A}}_n \, \overset{*}{Z}{}^n = \overline{\mathcal{A}}_{g_n} \, a^n \, Z^{-n} \tag{6-172}$$

Thus, in power series form, any term consists of the input raised to a power and multiplied by a vector multiplier which adjusts its phase angle and magnitude to its proper value.

As a simple example, consider a viscoelastic material for which $\delta = 60°$ as shown in Figure 6-38.

$$\overline{H} = R_{g_1} \, e^{i\theta} + \mathcal{A}_{g_1} \, e^{-i\theta} \tag{6-173}$$

$$R_{g_1} = \frac{ia}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \delta = i \, 0.354a \tag{6-174}$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{g_1} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} (1 + \sin \delta) = 1.319a \tag{6-175}$$

Written as a Laurent series

$$\overline{H} \quad = i \, 0.354 \, (ae^{i\theta}) + 1.319 \, a^2 \, (ae^{i\theta})^{-1} \tag{6-176}$$

$$A_1 = i \, 0.354 \tag{6-177}$$

$$B_1 = 1.319 \, a^2 \tag{6-178}$$

It is interesting to compute B_1 from the integral formula (6-170).

$$B_1 = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \overline{H}\,(Z')\,dZ' \tag{6-179}$$

$$Z' = ae^{i\theta} \tag{6-180}$$

$$dZ' = iae^{i\theta}\,d\theta \tag{6-181}$$

$$B_1 = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_0^{2\pi} (R_{g_1}e^{i\theta} + \mathcal{R}_{g_1}e^{-i\theta})\,iae^{i\theta}\,d\theta \tag{6-182}$$

$$B_1 = \frac{aR_{g_1}}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{i2\theta}\,d\theta + \frac{a\mathcal{R}_{g_1}}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \tag{6-183}$$

$$B_1 = a\mathcal{R}_{g_1} = a^2\mathcal{R}_1 = 1.319\,a^2 \tag{6-184}$$

as in Equation 6-172.

Table 2 presents a tabulation of $\overline{R}_1$ and $\mathcal{R}_1$ for values of δ from 0 to 90°. These represent viscoelastic materials for any input level "a". Presumably, values of $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{\mathcal{R}}_n$ can be obtained by experiment to represent any nonlinear materials.

TABLE 6-2

δ	$\overline{R}_1$	$\overline{\mathcal{R}}_1$
$0°$	0.70711i	0.70711
$10°$	0.69637i	0.82990
$20°$	0.66446i	0.94895
$30°$	0.61238i	1.06066
$40°$	0.54167i	1.16163
$50°$	0.45452i	1.24878
$60°$	0.35355i	1.31949
$70°$	0.24185i	1.37157
$80°$	0.12279i	1.40348
$90°$	-0-	1.41421

6.5.4.6 Generalized Inputs to the Generalized Loop

So far the only inputs used here have been sinusoidal strain, used to generate $\overline{F}$, sinusoidal stress used to generate $\overline{G}$, and $ae^{-i\theta}$ used to generate $\overline{H}$, where

$$\overline{H} = \frac{\overline{F} - \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-185}$$

In Section 6.5.4.4 an alternate definition for $\overline{H}$ was specified as

$$\overline{H}^* = \frac{\overline{F} + \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-186}$$

$\overline{H}^*$ was laid aside temporarily because it corresponded to an input of $ae^{i\theta}$ which is associated with energy returned to the drive system rather than energy supplied by the drive system. $\overline{H}^*$ will now be called the conjugate of $\overline{H}$.

To be truly general in character we must be able to introduce any driving function and obtain the resulting loop from our power series that defines the properties of the material.

This process must include the ability to obtain the original hysteresis loops that are due to sinusoidal stress or strain, if these inputs are supplied to the power series representation.

It is even hoped that if inputs are used that have components not harmonically related, the proper nonrepetitive or rotating figures might be obtained. If this is true, then the power-series representation will become as universal as Ptolemy's Epicycles (which were not limited to harmonically related frequencies) and the representation can, for example, be used in shaft dynamics because it can represent figures of the sort shown in Figure 6-6.

Recall that Equations 6-123 through 6-126 showed the vectors (perhaps better called vector operators), $\overline{F}$, $\overline{G}$, $\overline{H}$, and $\overline{H}^*$ to have a peculiar characteristic--that of always consisting of the sum of the input and terms that expressed the reaction of the material to the input.

$$\overline{F} = a \cos \theta + i \operatorname{Im} F = \sum \overline{R}_{\epsilon_n} e^{i\theta} + \overline{R}_{\epsilon_n} e^{-i\theta} \qquad (6\text{-}187)$$

$$\overline{G} = ia \sin \theta + \operatorname{Re} F = \sum \overline{R}_{\sigma_n} e^{i\theta} + \overline{R}_{\sigma_n} e^{-i\theta} \qquad (6\text{-}188)$$

$$\overline{H} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [ae^{-i\theta} + \text{reaction}] = \frac{\overline{F} - \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}} \qquad (6\text{-}189)$$

$$\overline{H}^* = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ae^{i\theta} + reaction \right] = \frac{\overline{F} + \overline{G}}{\sqrt{2}} \tag{6-190}$$

Since $\theta = \omega t$, inputs at various frequencies may be considered, i.e., $\theta_1 = \omega_1 t$, $\theta_2 = \omega_2 t$, etc., and each may have its own amplitude a_1, a_2, etc.

Then combinations of $a_1 e^{i\theta}$, $a_2 e^{i\theta_2}$, etc., may be used to define any physically attainable input. The vectors, or rather power-series vector operators $\overline{H}$ and $\overline{H}^*$ are additive; hence, we may build the loop for any conceivable input as follows:

(a) Express the input as a sum of terms

$$input = \sum_n a_n e^{+i\theta_n} + b_n e^{-i\theta_n} \tag{6-191}$$

(b) To all terms of the type $b_n e^{-i\theta_n}$ apply the operator $\overline{H}$; i.e., write

$$\overline{H}_{\theta_n} = \sum R_n e^{in\theta_n} + \mathcal{R}_n e^{-in\theta_n} \tag{6-192}$$

(c) To all terms of the form $a_n e^{i\theta_n}$ apply the operator $\overline{H}^*$; i.e., write

$$\overline{H}_{\theta_n}^* = \sum R_n^* e^{in\theta_n} + \mathcal{R}_n^* e^{-in\theta_n} \tag{6-193}$$

(d) Finally, sum the power series

$$\overline{H} = \sum \overline{H}_{\theta_n} + \overline{H}_{\theta_n}^* \tag{6-194}$$

Note that

$$\overline{R}_n^* = \frac{\overline{R}_{\epsilon_n} + \overline{R}_{\sigma_n}}{a^n \sqrt{2}} \qquad (6\text{-}195)$$

$$\overline{\mathcal{A}}_n^* = \frac{\overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\epsilon_n} + \overline{\mathcal{A}}_{\sigma_n}}{a^n \sqrt{2}} \qquad (6\text{-}196)$$

For cases in which R_n and $\mathcal{A}_n$ are functions of θ, then the values used would of course be chosen accordingly. As a trivial example consider a material for which R_{ϵ_n}, $\mathcal{A}_{\epsilon_n}$, R_{σ_n}, and $\mathcal{A}_{\sigma_n}$ are all known by test. Then we may reconstruct the hysteresis loop corresponding to a sinusoidal strain input, $\overline{F}$, as follows:

$$\text{input} = a \cos \theta = \frac{a}{2} e^{i\theta} + \frac{a}{2} e^{-i\theta} \qquad (6\text{-}197)$$

$$\overline{H} \left(\frac{a}{2} e^{-i\theta}\right) = \frac{\overline{F} (a \cos \theta) - \overline{G} (ai \sin \theta)}{\sqrt{2}} \qquad (6\text{-}198)$$

$$\overline{H}^* \left(\frac{a}{2} e^{i\theta}\right) = \frac{\overline{F} (a \cos \theta) + \overline{G} (ai \sin \theta)}{\sqrt{2}} \qquad (6\text{-}199)$$

$$\frac{\overline{H} + \overline{H}^*}{\sqrt{2}} = \overline{F} (a \cos \theta) \qquad (6\text{-}200)$$

Thus, the method is both universal and reversible. In connection with reversibility, it might be observed that although the simultaneous application of a sinusoidal stress and a sinusoidal strain seems difficult to attain in order to directly plot a generalized hysteresis loop, the reverse operation is in principle practiced as follows:

If $\overline{H}$ is known, we may easily imagine a forcing device with servo-type controls that will cause the stress-strain dot to trace the generalized loop in the proper manner. In this mode of operation we may rest quite certain that the actual input to the system is described by $ae^{-i\theta}$.

6.5.4.7 Some Hypotheses

The following hypotheses are presented in the hope that interested people may profitably explore them.

I.   For fixed environmental conditions, the rheological behavior of many materials may be represented over a wide range of input levels by a power series having as coefficients $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{A}_n$ which remain constant.

II. The effect of environmental conditions may be meaningfully represented by coefficients $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{A}_n$, which are functions of the environmental conditions.

III. The stress history of a material specimen may be represented as the history of the power-series coefficients $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{A}_n$ which represent the material.

IV. Power-series representations may exist for individual micromechanisms in the material. The sum of these contributions may be the observed $\overline{R}_n$ and $\overline{A}_n$.

V.   The rheological properties of a material cannot be determined by either a sinusoidal strain test or a sinusoidal stress test but can be determined as a result of both types of tests.

Hypothesis I is based on the ability of a power series to approach linearity for small values of the independent variable and then to become more and more nonlinear for larger values of the independent variable as the significance of the higher order terms increases. This is a tendency of almost all materials. Thus, nominally viscoelastic materials finally show distortion for very large inputs. This can be represented by the presence of very small coefficients of high order in their power series representation.

Hypothesis II needs little discussion. Certainly material properties are functions of temperature, etc. To represent their effects by observing how the coefficients R_n and $\mathcal{A}_n$ vary will provide a fresh look which could be meaningful.

Hypothesis III is presented as a means for exploring the effects of stress history. At present, this is a particularly troublesome phase of rheology. It may be meaningful to observe which coefficients change, and in what manner.

Hypothesis IV may help interpret changes in the coefficients that occur as a result of stress history, environment, or input level. This is one possible approach to correlation with micro-mechanisms. Suppose, for example, that six coefficients are required to represent a material, but they are grossly variable with input level; then, simultaneous equations can be written to express the power series as the sum of other power series with fixed coefficients. Each of the fixed-coefficient power series may correlate with a particular micromechanism.

Hypothesis V is left as a hypothesis because although the preceding sections indicate its probability, it is not believed that the point is quite proven.

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6.5.4.8 Conclusion

The discussion of hysteresis loops presented in the preceding
sections was only nominally directed to those of rheology. Actually,
hysteresis loops are a phenomenon common to almost every brand of
science in which energy dissipation occurs in a cyclic manner. It
is hoped that these efforts will prove useful in such diverse fields
as transformer design, tape recorder theory, and mechanics, as
well as in rheology.

The representation of periodic loci by systems of rotating
vectors is both ancient and widely used in many guises. It is,
therefore, a little surprising that these concepts have not been
more widely used to represent hysteresis loops. The use of the
isomorphism between two dimensional vectors and complex numbers
is a particularly powerful tool. Its use for mapping complicated
electrical and magnetic fields and the solution of elaborate
boundary value problems in heat transfer, etc., attest to the
power of these methods. This massive and elegant tool has been
available now for over a century.   Its use, however, has
been much more limited on dynamic problems than on static or
potential distribution type problems.

The pure mathematician insists that vectors and complex
numbers are two totally different systems that happen to be
isomorphic. In application, however, this distinction seems
meaningless. Thus, forebearance is asked for the indiscriminate
mixing of vector and complex-number notation.

The tentative conclusion that single-input (sinusoidal stress or sinusoidal strain) tests cannot define rheological properties of materials has a striking parallel in both mechanisms and electricity. It has been recognized in both fields that two tests are needed. For example, the electrical properties of an unknown "black box" cannot be defined by a constant-current (infinite source impedance) test. A constant-voltage test (zero source impedance) is equally ineffectual to completely determine the characteristic of the possible nonlinear black box. Both types of tests must be performed. It is possible that the complex-number power-series representation can be useful in setting forth the characteristics of such electrical or mechanical systems. As of this moment, no power series has been constructed from any data taken on a real material. It is unlikely that any old data can be found from which such series might be constructed. There remain to be explored challenging questions concerning the power series themselves. The writer is not at all satisfied that the formulations presented are the best; rather, this work merely indicates that useful things appear to exist awaiting methodical exploration.

Conclusions and Recommendations are presented
in Section 3.0 of this document.

APPENDIX I

REVIEW OF POLAR FORMULAS
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APPENDIX I

REVIEW OF POLAR FORMULAS

1. General

The relations evolved in Section 6 are relations between geo-metric vectors in a plane. By far the most convenient and compre-hensive representation for these vectors is polar representation in a complex plane. Due to the possibility that some materials engineers may not have a day-to-day familiarity in the use of the complex variable, it is appropriate to include a brief review of the elements of polar representation and at least state the chief identities used.

2. Polar Form of Z

Given a complex plane having axes x and iy:
Then, any point $z = x + iy$ may be represented as the tip of a radius vector of length r at some angle θ.
Then

$$x = r \cos \theta$$
$$iy = ir \sin \theta$$

It may also be shown by the addition of infinite power series that

$$z = x + iy = re^{i\theta} = r \cos \theta + ir \sin \theta$$
$$z^* = x - iy = e^{-i\theta} = r \cos \theta - ir \sin \theta$$

where z^* is called the complex conjugate of z.

Finally, $-re^{i\theta}$ extends in the opposite direction to $+re^{i\theta}$. All of these relations are illustrated in Figure 1.

$-z = -x + iy = -re^{-i\theta}$

$z = x + iy = re^{i\theta}$

$-z = -x - iy = -re^{i\theta}$

$z^* = x - iy = re^{-i\theta}$
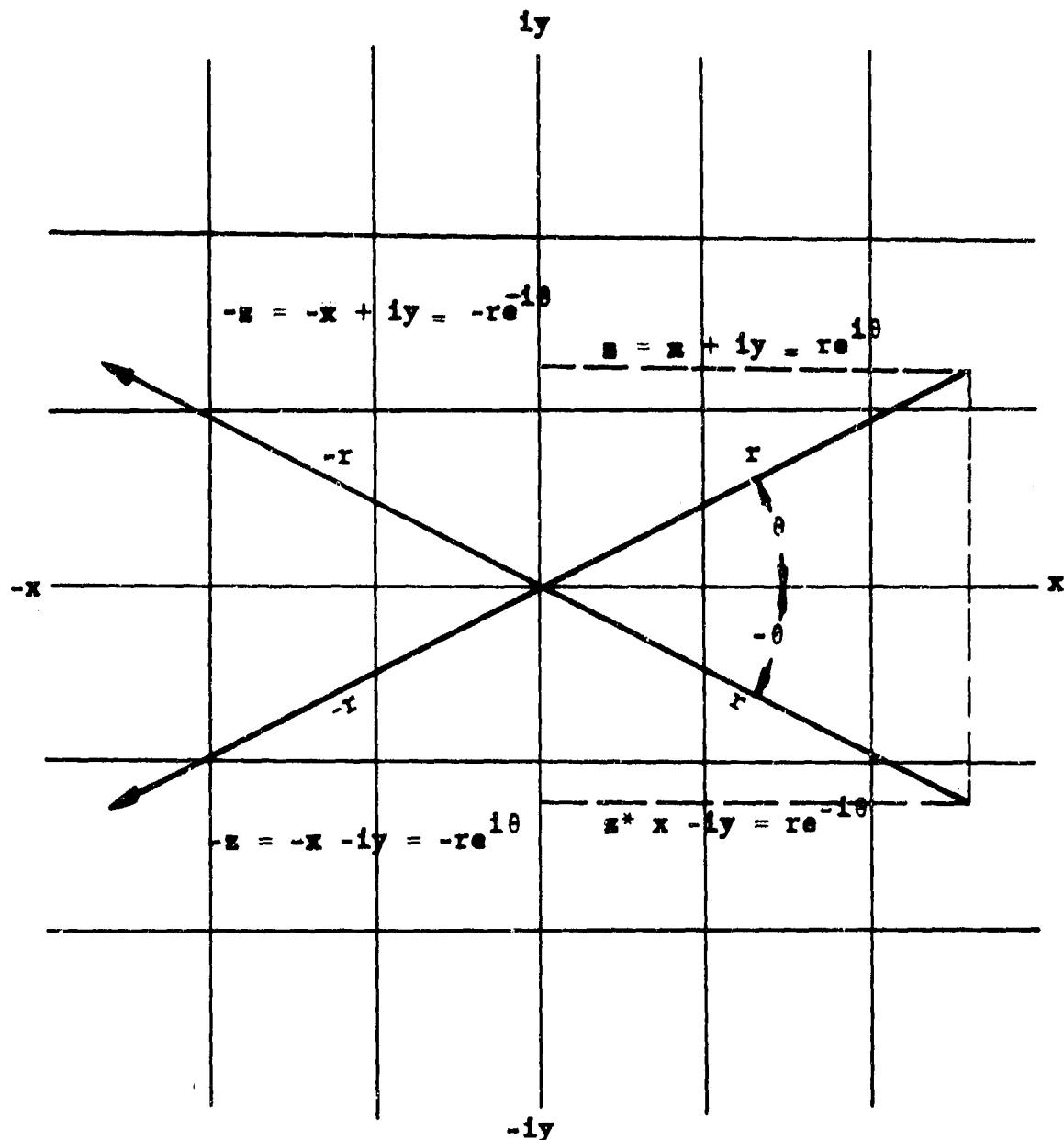
THE POLAR FORM OF THE COMPLEX NUMBERS z, $-z$, z^*, $-z^*$

FIGURE 1

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$$z_1 z_2 = r_1 e^{i\theta_1} r_2 e^{i\theta_2} = r_1 r_2 e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)}$$

Figure 2

Ratios

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{r_1 e^{i\theta_1}}{r_2 e^{i\theta_2}} = \frac{r_1}{r_2} e^{i(\theta_2 - \theta_2)}$$

Figure 3

3. **Trigonometric Functions**

Relation of trigonometric functions to z:

$$r \cos \theta = \frac{r}{2} (e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta})$$

Figure 4

$$ir \sin \theta = \frac{r}{2} (e^{i\theta} - e^{-i\theta})$$

Figure 5

If r is constant and $\theta = \omega t$, then the constant-length vector will rotate at the (uniform) angular velocity ω or $-\omega$.

As shown in Figures 4 and 5, the resultant of the two counter-rotating vectors is a linear sinusoidal motion--i.e., the sine or cosine function. This method of representing a rectilinear motion will be used repeatedly. Recall that mechanical vibration generators usually generate rectilinear vibration by means of counterrotating unbalanced rotors.

Fourier expansions can take many forms. For present purposes the following forms are most convenient:

$$x = x_0 \cos (0 + \psi_0) + x_1 \cos (\theta + \psi_1) +$$
$$+ x_2 \cos (2\theta + \psi_2) + + x_n \cos (n\theta + \psi_n) + +$$

$$\text{PRODUCT} \qquad r_1 e^{i\theta_1} r_2 e^{i\theta_2} = r_1 r_2 e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)}$$
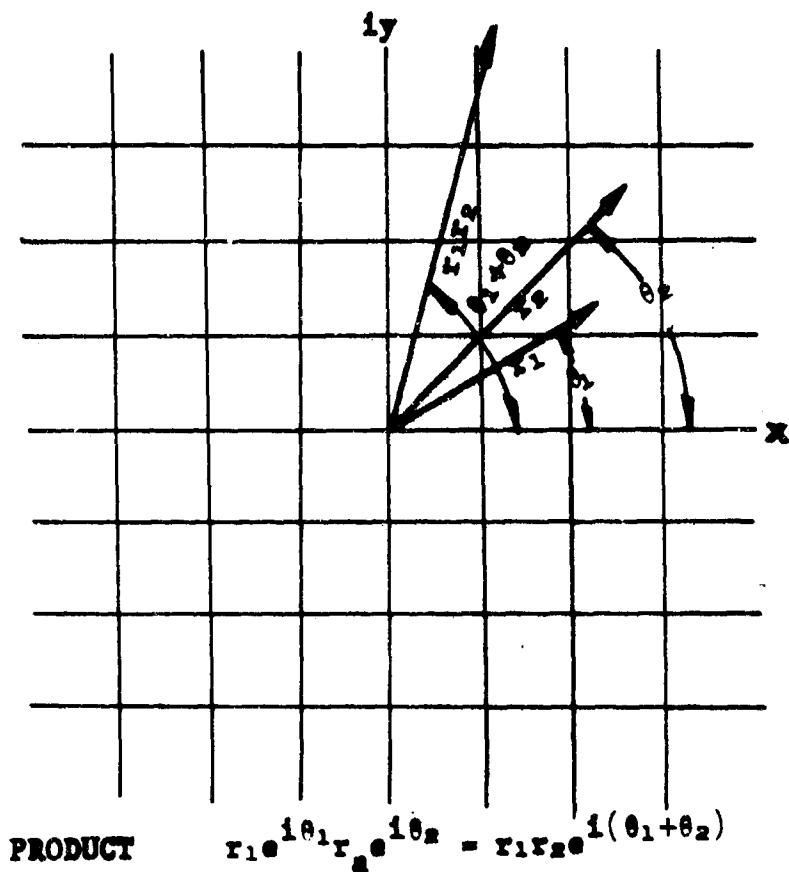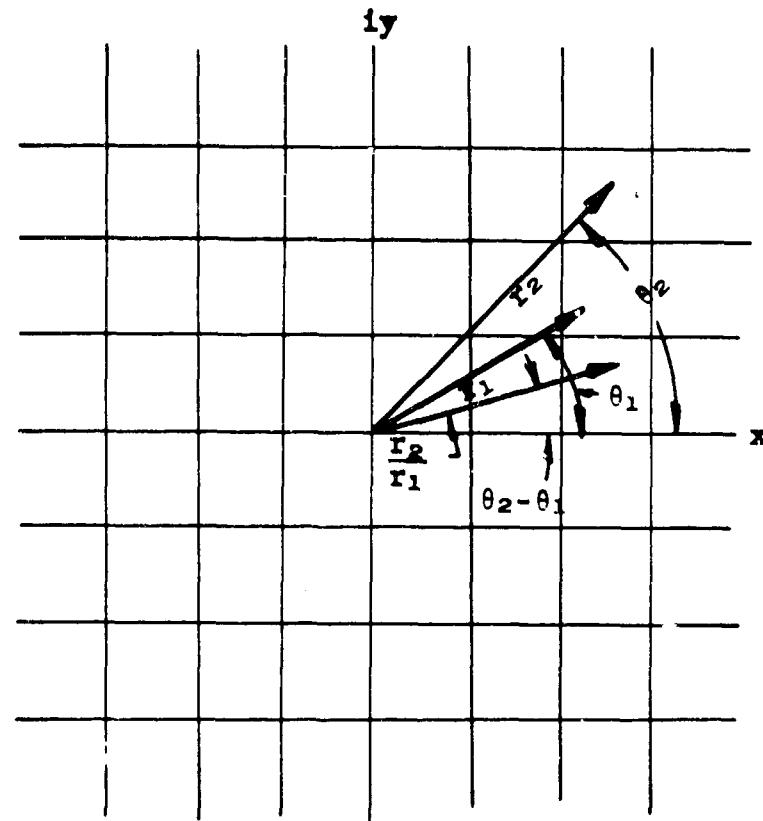
FIGURE 2

$$\text{QUOTIENT} \quad \frac{r_2 e^{i\theta_2}}{r_1 e^{i\theta_1}} \quad = \quad \frac{r_2}{r_1} \, e^{\, i(\theta_2 - \theta_1)}$$

FIGURE 3
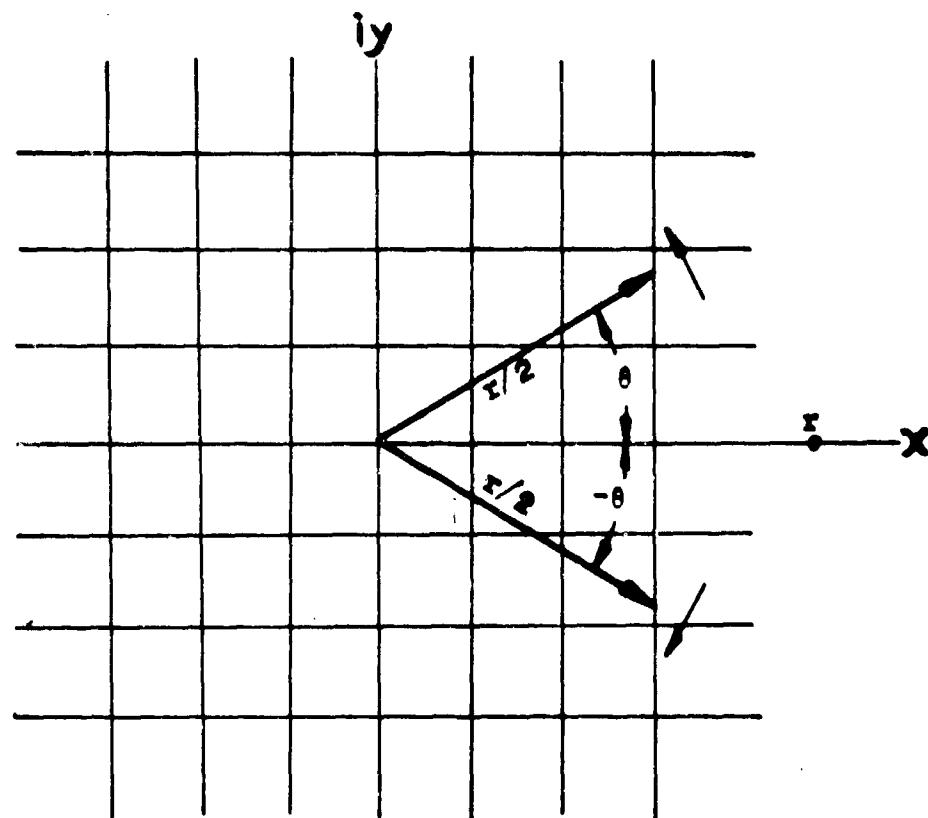
$$r \cos \theta = r/2 \, e^{i\theta} + r/2 \, e^{-i\theta}$$

FIGURE 4

$$ir \sin \theta = r/2 \; e^{i\theta} - r/2 \; e^{-i\theta}$$
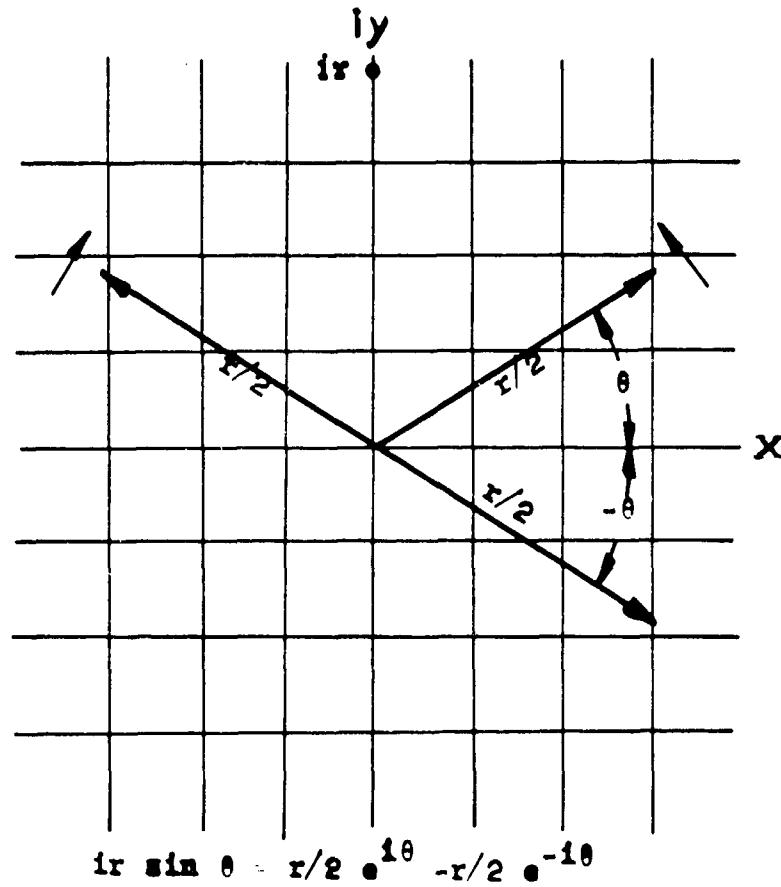
FIGURE 5

$$y = y_0 \cos(0 + \phi_0) + y_1 \cos(\theta + \phi_1) +$$

$$y_2 \cos(2\theta + \phi_2) + + y_n \cos(n\theta + \phi_n) + +$$

also, recall that

$$\oint \cos m\theta \sin n\theta \, d\theta = 0$$

$$\oint \cos m\theta \cos n\theta \, d\theta = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } m \neq n \\ \pi & \text{if } m = n \end{cases}$$

$$\oint \sin m\theta \sin n\theta \, d\theta = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } m \neq n \\ \pi & \text{if } m = n \end{cases}$$

Cross Products

$$\vec{A} \times \vec{B} = |\vec{A}| \, |\vec{B}| \sin C$$

where C is the angle between A and B.

The cross product is not commutative; i.e.,

$$\vec{A} \times \vec{B} = - \vec{B} \times \vec{A}$$

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Union Carbide Corporation Hastelloy Alloy X (3 pages)

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF ALCOA'S APM ALLOYS

	XAP001 XAP005	XAP002	XAP003	XAP004
Specific Gravity	2.74	2.74	2.75	2.77
Density, lb/cu. in.	0.099	0.099	0.099	0.100
Electrical Conductivity at 25°C (77°F) % IACS	47	44	39	34

Thermal Conductivity
CG° Units (Calculated on Basis of Electrical Conductivity)

		XAP001 XAP005	XAP002	XAP003	XAP004
	75° F	0.43	0.40	0.36	0.32
	400° F	0.44	0.43	0.39	0.36
	500° F	0.45	0.43	0.40	0.37
	600° F	0.45	0.43	0.41	0.38
	700° F	0.45	0.44	0.41	0.38
	800° F	0.45	0.44	0.42	0.39
	900° F	0.45	0.44	0.42	0.40
	1000° F	0.45	0.44	0.42	0.40

Average Coefficient of Thermal Expansion per °F x 10⁻⁶

Temp. Range, °F		XAP001 XAP005	XAP002	XAP003	XAP004
	68-212	12.0	11.8	11.5	11.1
	68-392	12.6	12.4	12.0	11.7
	68-572	13.1	12.9	12.5	12.1
	68-752	13.6	13.3	12.8	12.3
	68-842	13.9	13.8	13.0	12.5

Melting Range
of Aluminum Phase (°F):

Solidus for All Alloys = 1180 - 1200
Liquidus for All Alloys = 1215
Oxide Phase Melts at 3700 (approx.)

Specific Heat (cal/g):
(Calculated)

	XAP001 XAP005	XAP002	XAP003	XAP004
68°F	0.213	0.212	0.211	0.210
212°F	0.225	0.224	0.223	0.223

Damping

Tests made at Alcoa Research Laboratories on 0.250" thick XAP001 and XAP004 plate showed that these alloys have 1½ - 2½ times as much damping capacity as other bare wrought aluminum alloys. Alclad products also exhibit unusually high damping capacity.

May 26, 1965

Mr. Lester 8. Wirt
Airesearch Manufacturing Company
402 South 36th Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85034

Dear Mr. Wirt:

We are sending the completed flextures under separate cover to your attention. The following data should enable you to duplicate what we have accomplished on these test bars.

Surface Preparation:
All test bars were annealed at 1400° F in an exothermic atmosphere for five minutes and then sandblasted to produce a mechanical etch.

Coating Thickness:
It was difficult to establish an exact coating thickness due to the bilateral taper in the reduced cross section of the test bars, and the unconformity of thickness from test bar to test bar. Using micrometers before and after coating we feel the thickness range is between 0.003 and 0.005 on all coated areas except the edges where capillary action during the application produces a ridge.

Coatings:
Type A - flextures #2X, 8, 9 (Frit-AL-2 Ferro Corporation)
    Formula

Frit AL-2	100	parts by weight		
Boric Acid	3	"	"	"
KoH	2.5	"	"	"
Kasil #6	2	"	"	"
"0" Sod. Sil.	2	"	"	"
H_2O	30	"	"	"

    fineness .1 - .2 g on a 325 mesh screen using a 50 cc sample of slip.
    firing temperature 1000° F for 10 - 12 minutes

Type B - flextures #3X, 4X, 10 (Frit-145-8 Chicago Vitreous Enamel Co.)
    Formula

Frit 145-8	100	parts by weight		
Q Clay	5	"	"	"
Bentonite	0.0625	"	"	"
$NaNO_2$	0.0625	"	"	"
H_2O	50	"	"	"

    fineness 2 - 4 g on a 200 mesh screen. using a 50 cc sample of slip
    firing temperature 1100° F for 10 - 12 minutes.

Type Bb - flextures #5X, 6X, 10 (Frit 325 Chicago Vitreous Enamel Co.)
   Formula

Frit 325	100	parts by weight
Q Clay	5	" " "
Bentonite	0.0625	" " "
$NaNO_2$	0.0625	" " "
H_2O	50	" " "

fineness 2 - 4 g on a 200 mesh screen using a 50 cc sample of slip.
firing temperature 1360° F for 10 - 12 minutes.
NOTE: Add 2 cc UREA solution for each 100 cc slip prior to applying
enamel to eliminate tearing during firing operation.

Type C - flextures #7X, 12, 13 (Frit XG201 Ferro Corp.)
                     NBS - A - 418

   Formula

Frit XG 201	70	parts by weight
Chrome Oxide	30	" " "
Green Label Clay	5	" " "
H_2O	50	" " "

fineness trace - .1 g on a 325 mesh screen using a 50 cc sample of
slip. firing temperature 1875 ± 25° F for 10 - 15 minutes.

If you have any further questions regarding this project, please contact
me.

<div align="center">Yours truly</div>

<div align="center">CALIFORNIA DORAN HEAT TREATING CO.</div>

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Donald R. Van Sant

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Ceramic Technician
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VISCOSITY CHARACTERISTICS OF SELECTED PORCELAIN ENAMEL FRITS

Description:

Frit is a granular material produced by quenching molten glass. Glasses do not exhibit a definite melting point, but are characterized by decreasing viscosity with increasing temperature. The listed porcelain enamel frits are proprietary formulations in the alkali-alumina-borosilicate field. They were selected to cover a range of temperature-viscosity relationships.

Properties:

Frit Designation	Specific Gravity	Linear Coef. of Exp. $\times 10^6/°F.*$	Temperatures in °F. at which Glass Attains Indicated Viscosity ** (in Poises)				
			10^{14}	10^{11}	10^7	10^3	$10^{2.5}$
CV-145-S	2.94	6.5	756	837	1100	1200	1225
801	2.98	5.8	842	937	1300	1415	1450
325	2.84	5.3	850	975	1360	1525	1570
1106	2.70	6.0	848	966	1480	1725	1800
1100	2.50	5.9	896	990	1520	1750	1840
1502	2.65	5.7	936	1040	1540	1800	1880
15-M-1185	2.47	5.3	869	1013	1580	1850	1930
15-S-184	3.42	4.1	1202	1319	1700	1925	2150
6600	2.50	4.3	914	1067	1800	2050	2200

* Coefficient of thermal expansion in./in./°F. in the temperature range 97° - 637°F. as determined by the interferometer method.

** Estimated viscosity based on interferometer determinations, molten viscosity measurements and behavior of glass when applied as a porcelain enamel.

Availability:

Stocked as frit (particles ranging in size from approximately 1/4 inch to minus 100 mesh) in 100-lb. multi-ply bags of 1-1/4 cu. ft. capacity. Crushed granules graded to customer specification on orders of 2000 lb. or more.
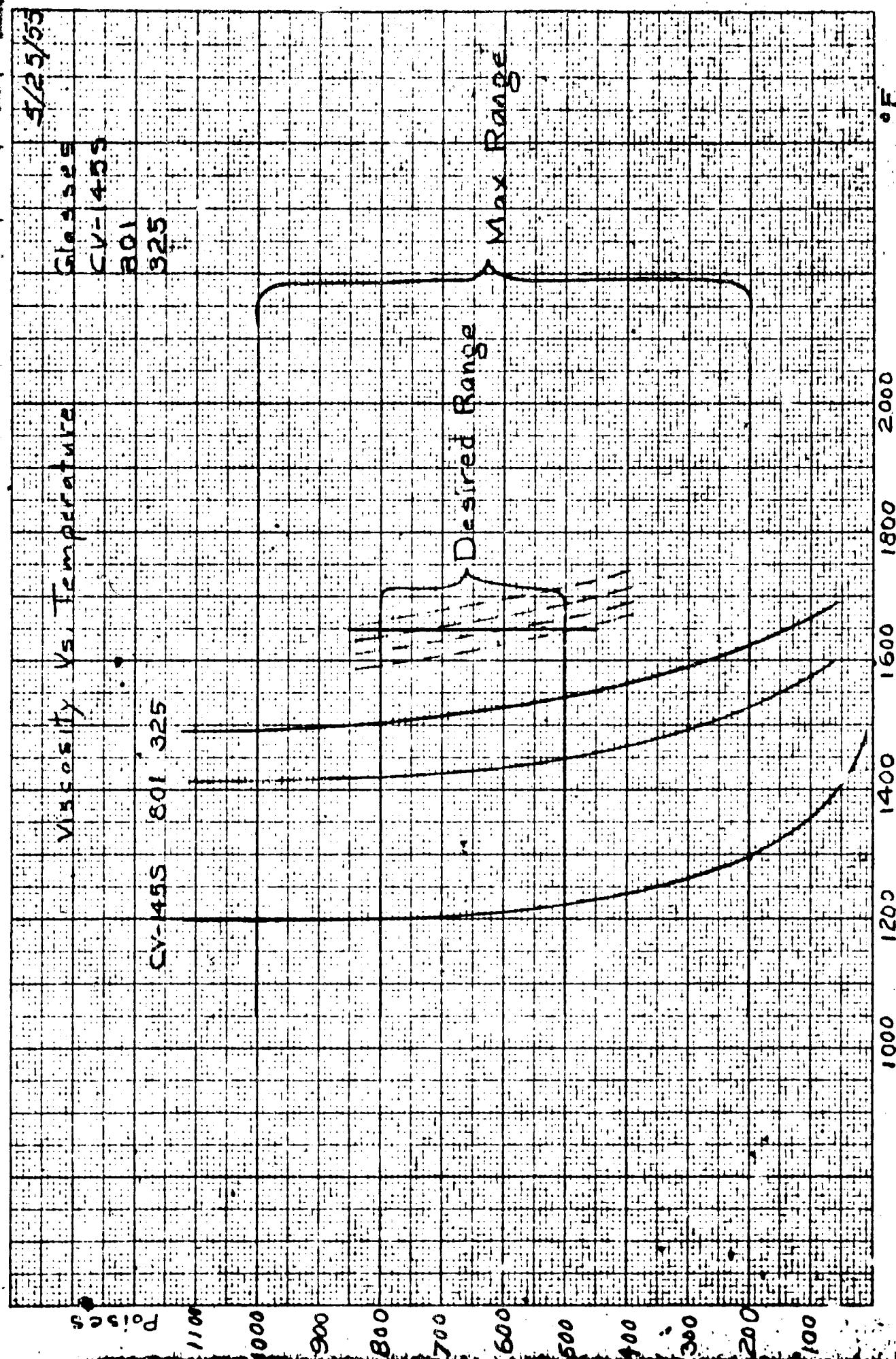
Viscosity vs. Temperature

Glasses
CV-45S
801
325

Desired Range

Max Range

CV-45S 801 325

5/25/55

°F

Poises
1100
1000
900
800
700
600
500
400
300
200
100

CERAMICS COATINGS

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CERAMIC COATINGS

Purpose:

To protect metals and alloys subjected to high temperatures and/or chemical corrosion, gaseous diffusion and erosion. To a limited extent, certain coatings also provide thermal or electrical insulation to metals.

Description:

Ceramic coatings are a special group of functional inorganic, essentially non-metallic finishes on metal components designed for service at temperatures in the 800° to 2000 F. range. Some types have a glossy green appearance and others a dull or full-mat gray finish. They are glass hard, relatively thin (one to ten thousandths of an inch) finishes for cast or formed metals of various sizes and shapes.

Composition:

The basic ingredients include a wide variety and combination of materials such as porcelain enamel frits, refractory oxides and in some instances, metal powders.

Representative Ceramic Coatings:

Some of the formulations which have been developed along with their processing instructions are listed in the accompanying tables under Chicago Vitreous Corporation code designation. The purpose of the listing is to illustrate the variety of metals and service conditions encompassed by ceramic coatings. It does not include all of the coatings which have been used or can be developed, since each coating must be designed for the specific metal, and service condition of the part being coated.

Coating Process

The coating of the metal part requires processing of the basic ingredients into a condition suitable for application by either the dip or spray method. This processing is accomplished by ball milling the dry ingredients with water as the vehicle. The resultant liquid suspension of finely ground solids, called slip, is applied to clean metal surfaces and then dried. Surfaces to receive the slip can be either chemically or mechanically cleaned, but should be free of scale and organic soils. In the dried state, the coating, which is composed of powdery particles, can be easily removed in those areas where the coating is not desired. The coating is matured by heating the metal part in a furnace (usually an oxidizing atmosphere) for sufficient time and at a suitable temperature to bring about fusion of the glassy constituents. Although miltiple layers can be built up by repeating the application and fusing process, ceramic coatings are generally achieved in a single, thin application.

Representative Ceramic Coatings

Coating	Appearance	Base Metal for Which Coating was Developed*	Service Temp. °F.
SL-10162-E	Gray, mat	Low carbon & low alloy steels	1400
SL-13309	Black, mat	" "	1400
SL-14706	Black, mat	" "	1100
SL-17073	Black, semi-mat	" "	1100
SL-17153-D	Blue, semi-mat	" "	1200
SL-17385	Black, glossy	" "	1000
SL-18104	Blue, glossy	" "	1100
SL-18161	Black, semi-mat	" "	1200
SL-18691	Black, semi-glossy	" "	1100
SL-13943-W	Blue, glossy	Timken Alloy 17-22A(S) & low carbon steels	1000
SL-13943-W-1	Gray, semi-glossy	" "	900 to 1000
SL-16695-**	Gray, semi-mat	" "	1400
SL-13055-B	Green, glossy	Inconel & stainless steels of the 300 & 400 series	1800
SL-13290-B	Green, glossy	" "	1800
SL-14007-B	White, mat	" "	1600
SL-14230-C	Green, semi-glossy	" "	1900 to 2100
SL-14367-A	Brown, semi-glossy	" "	1800
SL-14875	Black, semi-glossy	" "	1900
SL-15356	White, semi-mat	" "	1800
SL-15864	Metallic	" "	2000
SL-16285**	Blue	Cast Iron	1600
CL-18340	Blue, glossy	" "	1200
SL-13969	Blue, glossy	Titanium	1800

*   Sandblasting recommended as method for metal preparation.
     Pickling may be satisfactorily employed in some instances.

**   Fire in controlled atmosphere.

Processing Instructions for Ceramic Coatings

	Application Weight Grams/sq.ft.	Optimum Fired Thickness (Mils)	Firing* Temp. °F.	Time Min.
SL-10162-E	15	2.0	1600	5
SL-13309	15	2.0	1600	4
SL-14706	20	3.5	1650	3-1/2
SL-17385	25	4.0	1500	3
SL-18104	45	8.0	1540	8
SL-18161	20	4.0	1560	5
SL-18691	16	3.0	1500	4
SL-17153-D	22	4.0	1500	4-1/2
SL-17073	22	4.0	1500	4
SL-13943-W	15	2.0	1750	4
SL-13943-W-1	15	2.0	1100	10
SL-16695	15	2.0	1740**	20
SL-13055-B	15	2.0	1850	10
SL-13290-B	15	2.0	1800	10
SL-14007-B	20	3.0	1700	6
SL-14230-C	15	2.0	1900	15
SL-14367-A	15	2.0	1800	15
SL-14875	15	2.0	1900	20
SL-15356	15	2.0	2000	10
SL-15864	30	1.5	2000	10
SL-16285	15	2.0	1540**	25
CL-18340	35	6.0	1500	25
SL-13969	15	2.0	1800	6

*   Firing temperatures and times given for 18 - 20 ga.
     stock, except as noted.

**   Timken Alloy 17-22A(S) drawn for 6 hr. at 1165°F.
     after coating is fired.

*** Cast Iron.

Applications for Ceramic Coatings

Coating	Suggested Applications
SL-10162-E	Heat exchangers, space heater units, exhaust pipes, fire walls.
SL-14309	Heat exchangers, grates, space heaters, exhaust stacks.
SL-14706	Burner grates, exhaust pipes, heat exchangers.
SL-17385	Heat exchangers, storage bins.
SL-18104	Hot water storage tanks.
SL-18161	Heat exchangers, exhaust systems.
SL-18691	Automobile mufflers* and heat exchangers.
SL-17073	Burner grates, exhaust pipes, heat exchangers.
SL-17153-D	Heat exchangers, burner grates, exhaust stacks.
SL-13943-W	Compressor blades for superchargers and jets.
SL-13943-W-1	Grates, coal chutes, tote boxes.
SL-16695	Compressor blades, engine cowling.
SL-13055-B	Jet engine combustion chamber inner liners, transition liners.
SL-13290-B	Jet engine tail cones, tail pipes and afterburner sections.
SL-14007-B	Fire walls, exhaust systems.
SL-14230-C	Jet engine combustion and exhaust parts, heat treating tools.
SL-14367-A	Fuel tubes and engine parts subject to lead bromide attack.
SL-14875	Fuel injection tubes and jet engine parts.
SL-15356	Engine components subject to vanadium attack.
SL-15864	Continuous furnace shoe plates, fuel injection tube nozzles.
SL-16285	Cast iron thermocouple protection tubes.
CL-18340	Exhaust systems.
SL-13969	Aircraft components fabricated from titanium and its alloys.

*May be blended 80/20 with SL-18162 white enamel for gray,
 acid resistant muffler enamel.

C.D.C. Manganese Alloy No. 720

(Heat-Treatable, Corrosion Resistant Alloy)

C. D. C. MANGANESE ALLOY No. 720 is a manganese alloy that responds to hardening by heat treatment. It has high tensile and fatigue strength, wide hardness range and excellent corrosion resisting characteristics.

Composition	Nominal
Copper	60
Nickel	20
Manganese	20

Physical Constants	Soft	Hard
Specific Gravity, g/cc	8.03	8.23
Density, lb./cu. in.	0.297	0.299
Melting point, °F	1910	1910
Specific heat, cal./g/°C(15-35 °C)	0.12	0.11
Therm. conductivity, cal./sec./cm²/°C/cm	0.047	0.077
Thermal coef. of expan /°C (75-200°C)	0.0000150	0.0000173
Electrical resistivity, microhms/cm² at 25°C	83-88	50-75
Electrical conductivity, %IACS	2.1-1.97	3.5-2.3
Temp. coef. elect. resist /°C (25-150°C)	-0.000125	+0.00024
Modulus of elasticity, psi	18,000,000	21,000,000
Torsion modulus, psi	6,700,000	7,100,000
Magnetic permeability-200 oersteds	1.0030	1.0015

PROPERTIES

Table 1 - As Rolled Properties

Cold Reduction %	Tensile Strength psi	Yield Strength (0.1%) psi	Proportional Limit psi	Vickers Hardness	Elongation 2 inch.
Annealed	98000	80000	36000	140	9
10	108000	90000	55000	90	8
20	115000	100000	65000	220	4
50	138000	115000	70000	260	2
80	150000	130000	75000	280	1.5

Table 2 - As Hardened Properties

Cold Reduction %	Tensile Strength psi	Yield Strength (0.1%), psi	Proportional Limit psi	Vickers Hardness
Annealed	200000	160000	120000	475
10	205000	165000	135000	480
20	210000	170000	140000	480
50	216000	185000	150000	485
80	220000	190000	180000	515

Heat Treatment

Hardening: Heat to 500-900°F for a time interval which will produce the desired hardness indicated in Table 3.

Table 3 - Effect of Time of Aging on Hardness

Time in Hours	No Cold Work	80% Reduction
0	150	300
3	300	450
6	375	480
9	415	495
12	435	510
15	450	515
18	465	518
21	470	521
24	475	524

Table 4 - Effect of Aging Temperature on Hardness

(Samples had no cold work before hardening)
(Hardness for various times at indicated temps.)

Temp. °F	2 hours	6 hours	12 hours	24 hours
500	138	138	138	138
600	190	225	375	450
700	230	365	435	465
800	185	350	420	465
900	150	170	180	470

Annealing: Heat to 1600-1200°F, air cool or water quench.
Softening of Hardened Material: Heat to 1050-1100°F, air cool or water quench.
To eliminate the light adherent scale during hardening, heat in a neutral or reducing atmosphere furnace, or in a hardening salt bath.

Machinability:

Best machinability when in the annealed condition.

C.D.C. Manganese Alloy No. 720 is satisfactorily machinable, and it machines similarly to Monel. Because of its great toughness, cutting speeds are somewhat slower and feeds lighter than those for mild steel. Tools should be of high speed steel, especially the cobalt type, ground with sharper angles than for steel. Sulphurized cutting oil should be used abundantly as a lubricant for boring, drilling, tapping, etc., and is preferred for all work, though water-soluble oils suffice for lathe work. In turning screw machine parts a good finish is obtained by using carbon tetrachloride as a coolant. Below are given some general recommendations of speed for cutting this alloy:

Operation	Speed sfpm	Depth of Cut, in.	Feed, Inch
Turning	45-65	1/8-1/16	1/8-1/16
Drilling	40-60		Same as for steel
Milling	50-65		0.005-0.010 in/tooth
Tapping	20-25		
Thread Chasing	20-25		
Reaming	25-35		

For high production, carbide-tipped tools should be used. All cutting tools should be ground to sharp cutting edges, and the speeds and feeds should be moderate. Standard twist drills should have polished flutes and must be kept feeding into the work. Spiral-fluted, high speed steel reamers with narrow lands and well polished flutes are used and are kept sharp at all times.

Workability:

Alloy No. 720 is a soft, ductile metal which can be hot or cold formed readily. Finishing temperatures for hot forging should be 1000-1250°F. The maximum forging temperature is 1650°F. At 1750 °F the alloy is hot short and can neither be hot rolled or forged at this or a higher temperature.

Weldability:

Can be silver-soldered and then hardened. The strength of brazes is actually increased by the hardening treatment, apparently resulting from the diffusion of the precipitate into the interface. By using a low melting point solder (1000-1100°F) soldering can be done at 1200-1300°F which approximates the annealing temperature of the No. 720 Alloy. Hardening can then be done in the usual manner for annealed alloy.

Corrosion Resistance:

Highly corrosion resistant.

General Characteristics:

This alloy differs from precipitation hardening alloys in that dependable and uniform hardening response does not involve critical control of chemical analysis, fabricating technique, or heat treatment. Hardening produces a high ratio of yield strength and proportional limit to tensile strength. It shows no appreciable drop in hardness even after several days of continuous heating at the hardening temperature. Any over aging, from a practical consideration, is primarily a function of temperature as shown in Table 1. Maximum hardening takes place between 700-800°F. Negligible distortion occurs during precipitation hardening. Cold rolled parts show no tendency toward springback or drift at the heat treating temperature.

This soft, ductile alloy is particularly adopted for use in springs, diaphragms, and other parts in which design requirements make it desirable first to shape the part and then heat treat it to attain the desired hardness, tensile strength and fatigue strength.

Forms Available:

Wire, strip, forgings, bars.

Applications:

Springs, diaphragms

Available from: Chicago Development Corporation
Riverdale, Maryland

C.D.C. Manganese Alloy No. 772

C. D. C. MANGANESE ALLOY No. 772 offers a combination of high strength and ductility. It has a high temperature coefficient of expansion, high electrical resistivity, low thermal conductivity, and high vibration damping constant.

Composition:

	Nominal	Range
Manganese	72	71.75-72.25
Copper	18	17.90-18.10
Nickel	10	9.90-10.10

Physical Constants:

Specific gravity, g/cc	7.21
Density, lb./cu.in.	0.26
Electrical resistivity, ohms per cir mil ft.	1050
Temperature coefficient of expansion, /°C (25-150°C)	0.0000275
Temperature coefficient of resistance, /°C (25-150°C)	.000141
Thermal conductivity, cal/sec/cm2/°C/cm	0.02
Emissivity, as rolled, %	26
Specific heat, cal/g/°C (15-35 °C)	0.126
Vibrating damping constant, %	2.3
Magnetic characteristic	nonmagnetic
Modulus of elasticity, psi	18,000,000

PROPERTIES

Table 1

Typical Mechanical Properties

Tensile strength, psi	115000
Yield strength, psi (0.1% set)	95000
Proportional limit, psi	50000
Elongation, % in 2"	6.5
Vickers hardness (50% cold reduction)	220

Table 2

Effect of Elevated Temperatures

Temp. °F	Tensile Strength psi	Yield Strength 0.1% set, psi	Proportional Limit psi	Elongation % in2"
0	115000	92000	48000	6
100	112000	92000	48000	6
200	110000	91000	47000	5.8
300	108000	90000	45000	5.5
400	104000	88000	40000	5.0
500	97000	84000	35000	4.5
600	91000	76000	30000	4.0

Table 3

Effect of Elevated Temperatures

Temp. °F	Expansion Coefficient	Resistivity ohms/cir mil ft.
0	0.0000148	1035
100	0.0000151	1055
200	0.0000154	1062
300	0.0000166	1070
400	0.0000175	1075
500	0.0000188	1080
600	0.0000200	1080

Machinability:

C.D.C. MANGANESE ALLOY No. 772 is satisfactorily machinable, and it machines similarly to Monel. Because of its great toughness, cutting speeds are somewhat slower and feeds lighter than those for mild steel. Tools should be of high speed steel, especially the cobalt type, ground with sharper angles than for steel. Sulphurized cutting oil should be used abundantly as a lubricant for boring, drilling, tapping, etc., and is preferred for all work, though water-soluble oils suffice for lathe work. In turning screw machine parts a good finish is obtained by using carbon tetrachloride as a coolant. Below are given some general recommendations of speeds for cutting this alloy:

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Milling	50-65		0.005-0.010 in/tooth
Tapping	20-25		
Thread Chasing	20-25		
Reaming	25-35		Twice drill speeds

For high production, carbide-tipped tools should be used. All cutting tools should be ground to sharp cutting edges, and the speeds and feeds should be moderate. Standard twist drills should have polished flutes and must be kept feeding into the work. Spiral-fluted, high speed steel reamers with narrow lands and well polished flutes are used and are kept sharp at all times.

Workability:

This alloy can be readily stamped, drawn, and extruded. Its hot working temperature range is 1600-1650° F.

Weldability:

Can be spot welded, butt welded, or silver brazed to itself or steel. It can be atomic hydrogen welded, electric arc welded, resistance welded, and oxyacetylene torch welded effectively. After welding, no thermal or chemical (passivation) treatments are necessary or recommended to retain or restore corrosion resistance.

General Characteristics:

The exceptionally high electrical resistivity, low temperature coefficient of resistance, and excellent physical properties are a combination which makes the alloy ideally suited for low temperature resistor applications. Also in electrical apparatus, parts located in a varying magnetic field are free from eddy current losses, if made of the No. 772 alloy, due to its high electrical resistivity. The combination of high strength and a high specific damping constant makes the alloy desirable in applications which cannot incorporate rubber or plastics to reduce vibrations. It is especially useful in eliminating sustained resonance of metallic members due to intermittent shock. The damping rate of the alloy is about twenty-five times greater than for hardened steel when compared at low stresses. The electrical resistivity value is not affected by annealing procedure, cold working, or by cooling to minus 100°F. The alloy is nonmagnetic. Low thermal conductivity combined with high strength makes the alloy useful in power transmission where heat flow must be minimized.

Forms Available:

Sheet, strip, hot-rolled round bars, extruded tubing, special shapes.

Applications:

Low temperature resistor applications — rheostats, auxiliary for circuit breakers — electrically heated expansion elements, electrical appliances, low thermal transmission couplings.

Available from: Chicago Development Corporation
Riverdale, Maryland

C.D.C. Manganese Alloy No. 780

C.D.C. MANGANESE ALLOY 780 possesses an unusual combination of mechanical, electrical and thermal properties.

Its extremely low shear modulus gives a high degree of surface conformity in cam and gear assembly which with high damping capacity provides excellent wear resistance and low noise level.

Low thermal conductivity combined with high yield in the cold worked alloy provide conditions for good power transmission with minimum heat transmission.

C.D.C. Manganese Alloy 780

Nominal Composition	Mn 80% Cu 20%
Composition Range	Mn 78-82% Cu Balance

Electrical Resistivity ohm Cm at 20°C	149×10^{-6}
Density lbs. /cu. in.	2.6
Thermal Coefficient of Expansion /°C	20×10^{-6}
Heat Conductivity Cal/Sec./°C/SqCm/Cm	0.02
Temp. Coefficient of Electrical Resistance /°C	0.1×10^{-4}

Mechanical Properties Quenched from 850°C

Tensile Strength psi	68000
Yield Strength psi	24000
Proportional Limit	13000
Elongation in 2" — %	35
Reduction of Area — %	49
Rockwell Hardness	B-55
Endurance Limit 1 x 10⁸ cycles psi	17000
Tensile Modulus psi	13500000
Shear Modulus	4000000
Poissons Ratio	0.7

Damping Capacity Low Stress %	7.0
Small Increment on 5000 psi %	20.0
10000 psi %	80.0

Internal Friction Q,	1750
(for comparison Q, for Beryllium Copper = 5)	

Mechanical Properties Hot Rolled

Damping Capacity Low Stress %	17.0
Safe Load Factor K,	
lbs/Sq.in.of face on Cam Follower	3000
(for comparison Cast Iron K = 750)	

Mechanical Properties Cold Rolled

Tensile Strength psi	10% Reduction	90000
	30% Reduction	130000
Yield Strength psi	10% Reduction	89000
	30% Reduction	115000
Elongation % in 2"	10% Reduction	10
	30% Reduction	9
Working Ranges	1600 - 1650° F	
	Room Temperature to 500° F	
	Brittle from 500 - 1500° F	

Available in hot or cold rolled bars, forgings, wire, strip, special heat treated parts and neutron flux wires and foils.

Available from: Chicago Development Corporation
Riverdale, Maryland

Strong and Oxidation Resistant to 2200 Deg. F.

HASTELLOY alloy X is a nickel-base alloy with a low strategic alloy content. It possesses exceptional strength and oxidation resistance up to 2200 deg. F. The alloy has excellent forming and welding characteristics.

Useful Properties for Aircraft and Furnace Parts

HASTELLOY alloy X is recommended especially for use in furnace applications because it has unusual resistance to oxidizing, reducing, and neutral atmospheres. Furnace rolls made of this alloy were still in good condition after operating for 8700 hours at 2150 deg. F. Furnace trays, used to support heavy loads, have been exposed to temperatures up to 2300 deg. F. in an oxidizing atmosphere without bending or warping.

Alloy X is equally suitable for use in jet engine tailpipes, afterburner components, turbine blades, nozzle vanes, cabin heaters, and other aircraft parts.

Easily Fabricated

HASTELLOY alloy X can be forged and, because of its good ductility, can be cold-worked. It can be welded by both manual and automatic welding methods including metallic-arc, inert-gas-shielded arc, submerged-melt, and SIGMA methods. Alloy X can also be resistance-welded.

Available in Wrought and Cast Form

HASTELLOY alloy X is available in the form of sheet, plate, bar, wire, welding rod, and billets for forging. It can also be obtained as sand and investment castings and as remelt stock produced to a certified chemistry.

Simple Heat-Treatment

All wrought forms of HASTELLOY alloy X are furnished in the solution heat-treated condition unless otherwise specified. The standard heat treatment is at 2150 deg. F. followed by either a rapid air-cool or a water quench.

Boiler Code

The use of HASTELLOY alloy X sheet, plate, rod and bar in the construction of unfired pressure vessels in accordance with the requirements of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code Section VIII has been approved under Case 1321 (Special Ruling). Alloy X is approved for use at temperatures up to 1650 deg. F. Design data can be found on page 28.

Specifications

The following specifications have been established for HASTELLOY alloy X:

Bar (Solution Heat-Treated)	:	AMS 5754-D
Sheet (Solution Heat-Treated)	:	AMS 5536-C
Investment Castings (As-Cast)	:	AMS 5390
Wire (Cold Drawn)	:	AMS 5798
Coated Welding Electrodes	:	AMS 5799

Properties Data

The properties data listed in this booklet are typical or average values and should not be interpreted as guaranteed minimums or maximums except where so stated.

HASTELLOY alloy X is covered by U.S. Patent Number 2,703,277.

CHEMICAL COMPOSITION, PER CENT

Nickel	Cobalt	Chromium	Molybdenum	Tungsten	Iron	Carbon	Silicon	Manganese
Balance	0.50-2.50	20.50-23.00	8.00-10.00	0.20-1.00	17.00-20.00	0.05-0.15	1.00*	1.00*

* Maximum

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Physical Property	Temp., deg. C.	Metric Units	Temp., deg. F.	British Units
Density	22	8.23 g./cu.cm.	72	0.297 lb./cu.in.
Melting Temperature	1260-1355		2300-2470	
Electrical Resistivity	22	118.3 microhm-cm.	72	46.6 microhm-in. (712 ohms per cir. mil-ft.)
Mean Coefficient of Thermal Expansion	26-100	13.80 microns/m.-deg. C.	79-200	7.70 microinches/in.-deg. F.
	26-500	14.89 microns/m.-deg. C.	79-1000	8.39 microinches/in.-deg. F.
	26-600	15.26 microns/m.-deg. C.	79-1200	8.56 microinches/in.-deg. F.
	26-700	15.67 microns/m.-deg. C.	79-1350	8.76 microinches/in.-deg. F.
	26-800	15.98 microns/m.-deg. C.	79-1500	8.92 microinches/in.-deg. F.
	26-900	16.27 microns/m.-deg. C.	79-1650	9.07 microinches/in.-deg. F.
	26-1000	16.56 microns/m.-deg. C.	79-1800	9.20 microinches/in.-deg. F.
Thermal Conductivity	20	0.097* watt-cm./cm.^{2}-deg. C.	70	62.8* Btu-in./ft.^{2}-hr.-deg. F.
	100	0.111 watt-cm./cm.^{2}-deg. C.	200	76.0* Btu-in./ft.^{2}-hr.-deg. F.
	300	0.147 watt-cm./cm.^{2}-deg. C.	500	98.0 Btu-in./ft.^{2}-hr.-deg. F.
	600	0.206 watt-cm./cm.^{2}-deg. C.	1100	143.5 Btu-in./ft.^{2}-hr.-deg. F.
	700	0.228 watt-cm./cm.^{2}-deg. C.	1300	158.5 Btu-in./ft.^{2}-hr.-deg. F.
	800	0.250 watt-cm./cm.^{2}-deg. C.	1500	173.5 Btu-in./ft.^{2}-hr.-deg. F.
	900	0.274* watt-cm./cm.^{2}-deg. C.	1700	188.5* Btu-in./ft.^{2}-hr.-deg. F.
Specific Heat	Room	0.116 cal./g.-deg. C.	Room	0.116 Btu/lb.-deg. F.
	315	0.119 cal./g.-deg. C.	600	0.119 Btu/lb.-deg. F.
	650	0.139 cal./g.-deg. C.	1200	0.139 Btu/lb.-deg. F.
	870	0.167 cal./g.-deg. C.	1600	0.167 Btu/lb.-deg. F.
	1095	0.205 cal./g.-deg. C.	2000	0.205 Btu/lb.-deg. F.
Poisson's Ratio	−78	0.328	−108	0.328
	22	0.320	72	0.320
Magnetic Permeability		<1.002 at 200 oersteds		

* Extrapolated

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IMPACT STRENGTH

Form	Condition	Test Temp., deg. F.	Typical Charpy V-Notch Impact Strength, ft.-lb.
Plate	Heat-treated at 2150 deg. F., WQ	−321	36.8
		−216	44.1
		−108	50.6
		− 20	55.7
		Room	54.1
		1500	58.0
	Heat-treated at 2150 deg. F., WQ, and aged:		
	168 hrs. at 1500 deg. F.	Room	9
	168 hrs. at 1500 deg. F.	1500	29
	500 hrs. at 1600 deg. F.	Room	9
	500 hrs. at 1800 deg. F.	Room	20
	50 hrs. at 1900 deg. F.	Room	36
Investment-Cast	Heat-treated at 2150 deg. F., WQ	Room	9.8
		1500	13.8
	Heat-treated at 2150 deg. F., WQ, aged 168 hrs. at 1500 deg. F.	Room	6.3
		1500	8.1

DYNAMIC MODULUS OF ELASTICITY*

Form	Condition	Test Temp., deg. F.	Dynamic Modulus of Elasticity, psi x 10^6
Sheet	Heat-treated at 2150 deg. F., RAC	76	28.49
		212	28.06
		392	26.90
		572	25.95
		752	24.96
		932	23.79
		1112	22.88
		1292	21.76
		1472	20.67
		1652	19.48
		1832	18.33

EFFECT OF CRYOGENIC TEMPERATURES ON TENSILE PROPERTIES

Form	Condition	Test Temp., deg. F.	Ultimate Tensile Strength, psi	Yield Strength at 0.2% offset, psi	Elongation in 2 in., per cent
Plate	Heat-treated at 2150 deg. F., WQ	−321	150,200	—	45.5
		−108	118,800	—	51.0
		72	104,500	47,000	46.2

* Averages of two tests at temperature.

WQ — Water-Quenched
RAC — Rapid Air-Cooled

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APPENDIX III

THE ELASTIC AND ANELASTIC PROPERTIES
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THE ELASTIC AND ANELASTIC PROPERTIES OF REFRACTORY MATERIALS FOR HIGH-TEMPERATURE APPLICATIONS

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Abstract

Examples of anelastic phenomena associated with grain boundary relaxation, twin interface motion, or dislocation motion in some refractory oxides and other high-temperature materials are presented. The significance of such studies in providing fundamental information about detailed mechanisms of deformation in ceramic materials is discussed.

I. Introduction

The theories of anelastic phenomena in crystalline solids have been treated formally by Zener [1]. When a stress is suddenly applied to a Voigt solid,* there is no instantaneous strain, but the strain gradually approaches an asymptotic value. Conversely, when the stress is suddenly removed, the solid suffers no instantaneous recovery, but the strain gradually disappears. The tangent of the angle by which strain lags behind stress is used as a measure of internal friction. Under dynamic conditions, both the internal friction and elastic modulus are dependent on frequency. The frequency dependence is schematically illustrated in Fig. 1. It is not the purpose of this paper to go into further details of the theoretical aspects

* A Voigt solid, or standard linear solid, is where the stress components are linear functions of both the strain and strain rates.
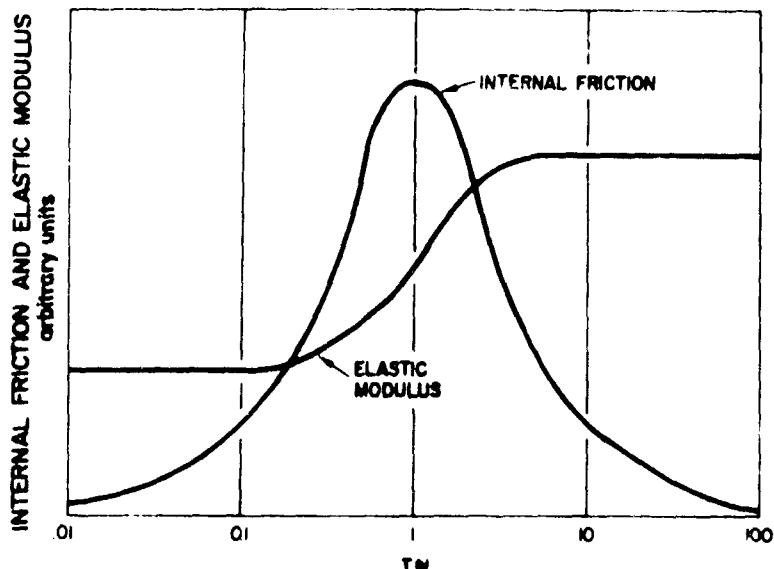
Fig. 1. Schematic diagram showing the frequency dependence of internal friction and elastic modulus.

of anelasticity but rather to point out the merits of studying the elastic and anelastic properties of high-temperature materials.

From a technical viewpoint, ceramic materials usually have low resistance to thermal shock. The engineering parameter measuring the thermal shock resistance of an isotropic solid is $\sigma k/E\alpha$, where σ is the fracture stress, k the thermal conductivity, E the elastic modulus, and α the coefficient of thermal expansion. However, if anelastic processes occur in a solid during sudden temperature changes, and the relaxation times of these processes are short enough to cause relaxation of stress, such stress relaxation should be taken into consideration in any evaluation of thermal shock resistance of the solid.

From fundamental viewpoints, if a crystalline solid fractures by breaking of bonds without the occurrence of any complicated processes involving the generation, motion, and interaction of dislocations, things would be simpler. It would be merely necessary to know the elastic properties of the solid. In actuality, however, knowing the elastic properties of a crystalline solid is necessary but not sufficient, since dislocations are always present in a crystalline solid and fracture is intimately connected with generation, motion, and interaction of these ubiquitous dislocations. A fundamental understanding of the behavior of dislocations in a crystalline solid

is essential. One powerful way to learn the properties of dislocations in crystalline solids is by means of anelastic measurements.

The anelastic properties of metals, both in monocrystalline and polycrystalline form, have been studied in considerable detail, whereas those of ceramic materials were investigated to a small degree until very recently. In the following, several important anelastic phenomena occurring in ceramic materials will be described and compared with those found for metals. It is hoped that this paper will stimulate further interest in both experimental and theoretical investigations of the various anelastic properties of ceramic materials.

II. Anelastic Phenomena Associated with Grain Boundary Relaxation in Polycrystalline Solids

Grain boundary phenomena in metals have been extensively studied by Ke [2] and others using anelastic methods. Similar work
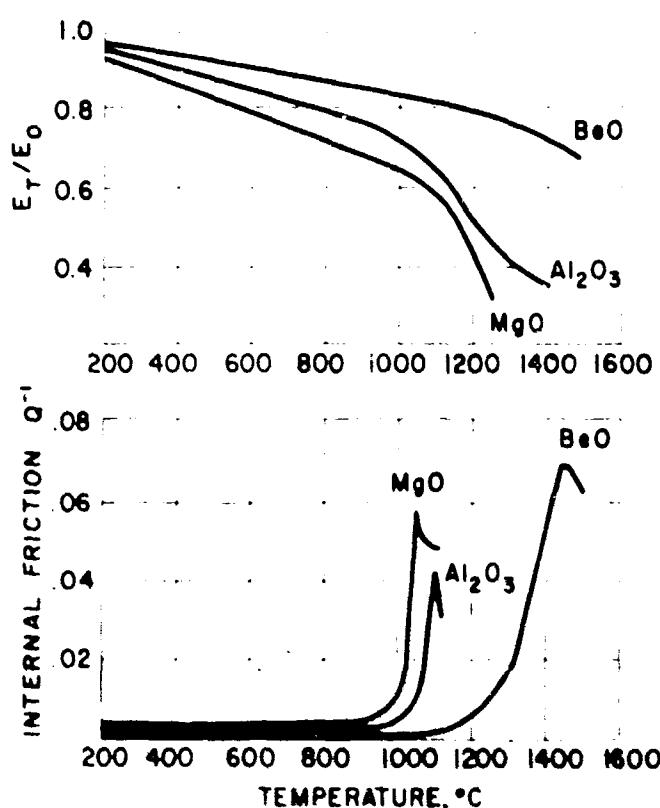

Fig. 2. Temperature dependence of Young's modulus and internal friction of polycrystalline BeO, Al₂O₃, and MgO.
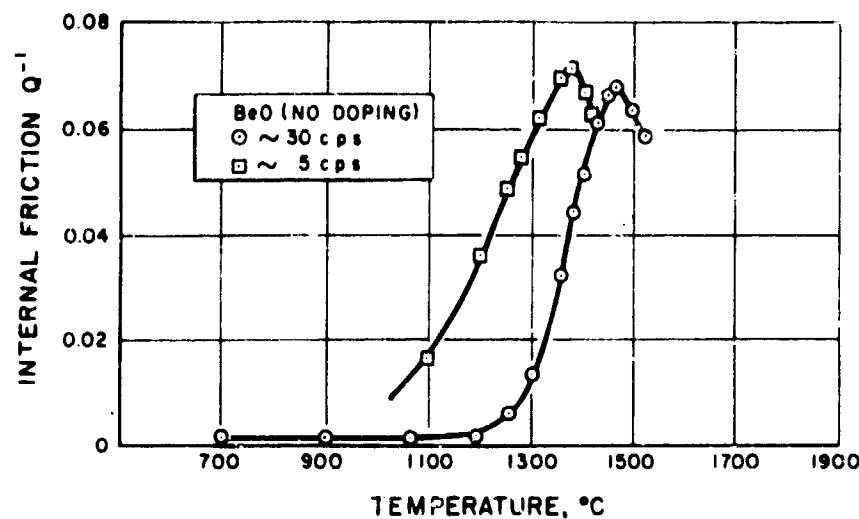
Fig. 3. Temperature dependence of internal friction of polycrystalline BeO at two frequencies.

on ceramic materials has received attention only very recently [3]. Typical examples of grain boundary phenomena are shown for pure oxides, in Figs. 2 and 3, and for oxides containing impurities in solution, in Figs. 4 and 5. The rapid decrease of Young's modulus, accompanied by an increase in internal friction, indicates that grain boundary relaxation is an important factor governing the high-temperature mechanical properties of these materials. Although several possible interpretations have appeared in the literature [4,5],
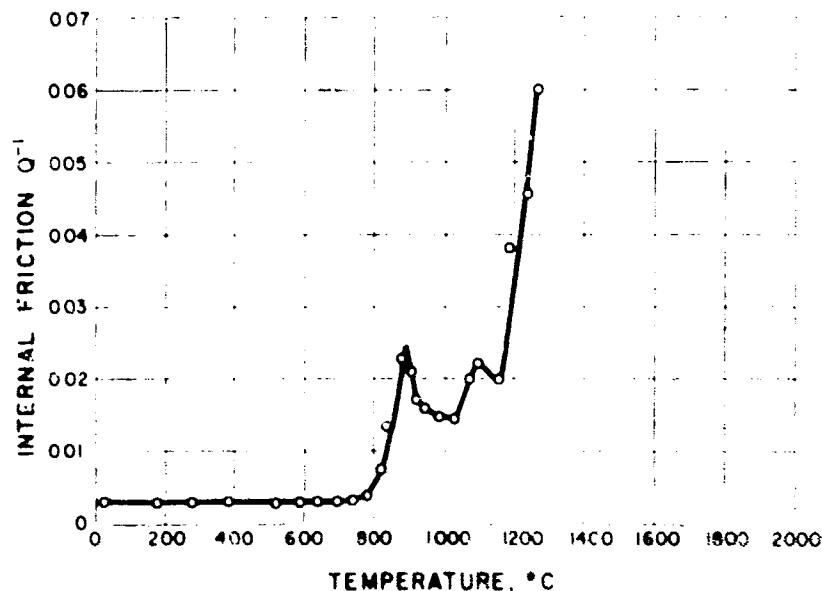

Fig. 4. Temperature dependence of internal friction of polycrystalline Al₂O₃ containing 0.25% by weight La₂O₃.
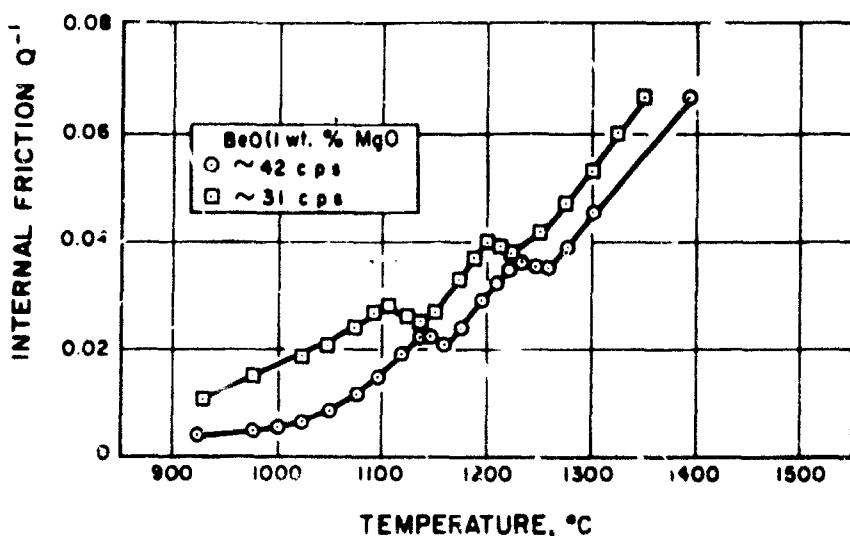
Fig. 5. Temperature dependence of internal friction of polycrystalline BeO containing 1 % by weight MgO.

a completely satisfactory mechanism capable of explaining all the experimental observations is still lacking. These should be interesting fields for future investigation.

III. Anelastic Phenomena Associated with Twin Interface Motion

Heavy twinning arising from cubic to tetragonal diffusionless transformation has been found in a number of alloys, such as AuCd [6], InTl [7], and CuMn [8]. The twin interfaces so formed are very mobile, and their motion requires only very small movements of the atoms. If, for example, the twin interfaces are locked by impurities or defects, motion of these interfaces under an applied shear stress will be controlled by the diffusion rates of the impurity or defect. Furthermore, twin interface motion may require the synchronized movement of both atom species, the rate of which may be controlled by diffusion of one of the two atom species [10]. At low temperatures the motion of the twin interfaces under dynamic conditions is so slow that no appreciable displacement occurs during a half-cycle of vibration, and the internal friction is low. On the other hand, the twin interfaces at high temperatures are so mobile that the shear stress is completely relieved at all times, so that the internal friction is again very low. Only in the intermediate temperature range, where both the displacement and the net shear stress are appreciable, is the internal friction large. The internal friction
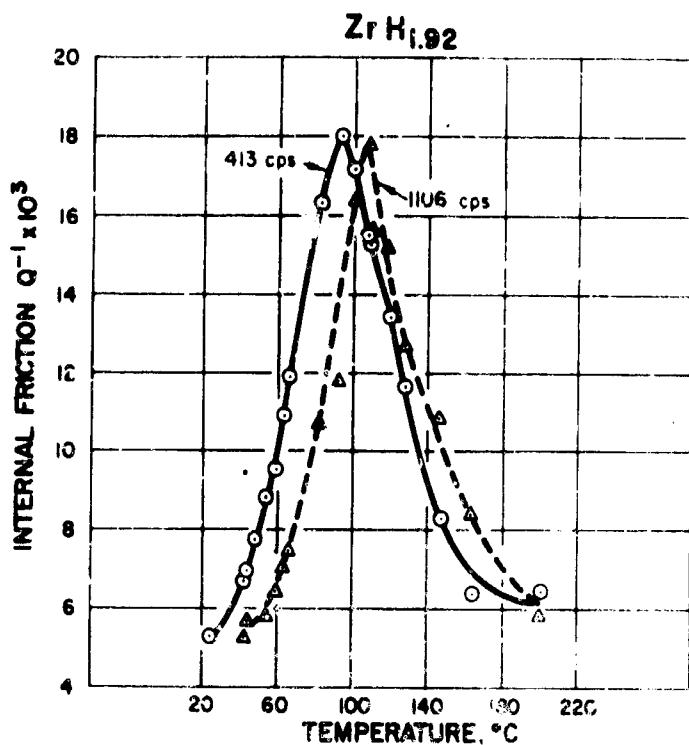
Fig. 6. Temperature dependence of internal friction of ZrH₂ at two frequencies.

peak of Cu-Mn alloys (∼90% Mn) found by Worrell [8] is thus interpreted by Zener [1] to arise from stress-induced movement of the twin interfaces of this alloy.

Similar cubic to tetragonal transformation, accompanied by heavy twinning, has been found in ZrH₂. The internal friction of this alloy in the twinned tetragonal state is shown in Fig. 6, and its microstructure is shown in Fig. 7. The author proposes that the
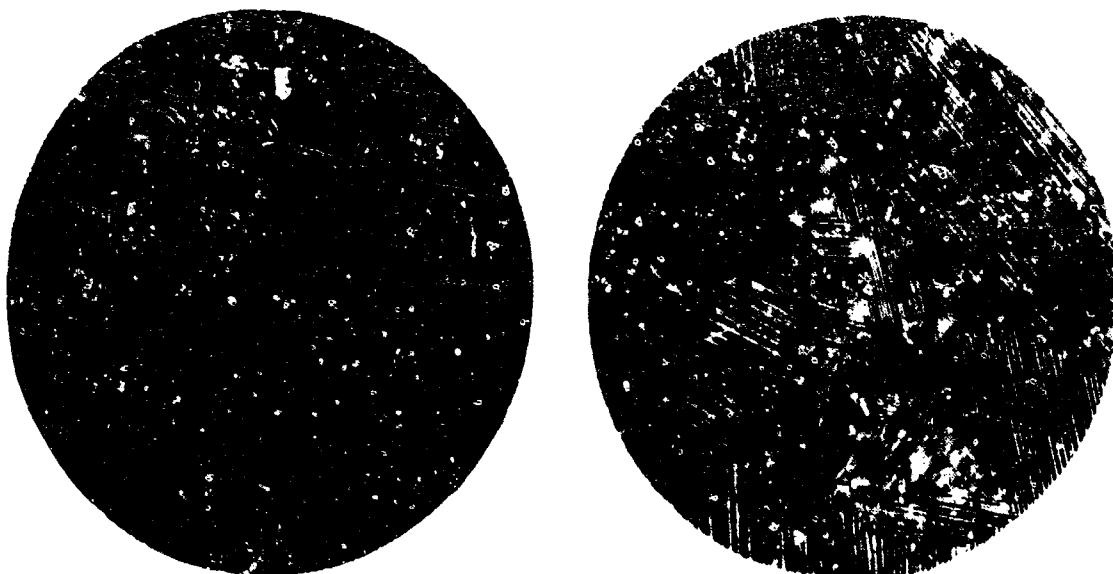

Fig. 7. Microstructure of ZrH₂ at 100X and 500X.

observed internal friction peak is also associated with stress-induced movement of the twin interfaces in ZrH_2.

The Young's modulus and internal friction of partially stabilized ZrO_2 are shown in Fig. 8. Although the microstructure of the material has not been investigated, it is distinctly possible that the internal friction peak is also due to stress-induced motion of the twin interfaces in the tetragonal phase of ZrO_2.

The shift of the internal friction peak with frequency yields activation energies of ~20,000 cal/mole for ZrH_2 and ~30,000 cal/mole for ZrO_2, which are believed to be the respective activation energies for diffusion of H and O in these materials.

A closer look at the crystal structure of ZrH_2 and ZrO_2 suggests that the twin interface cannot be one atomic layer thick and must be composed of arrays of edge- or screw-type twinning dislocations [9]. The paths taken by atoms during twin interface motion will most likely be defined by the geometry of dislocations or partial dislocations in the lattice, in a manner suggested by Kronberg [10] for slip and twinning in sapphire. Although the details of atom movements have yet to be worked out, it is likely that such movement may require the synchronized motion of both atom species. If twinning
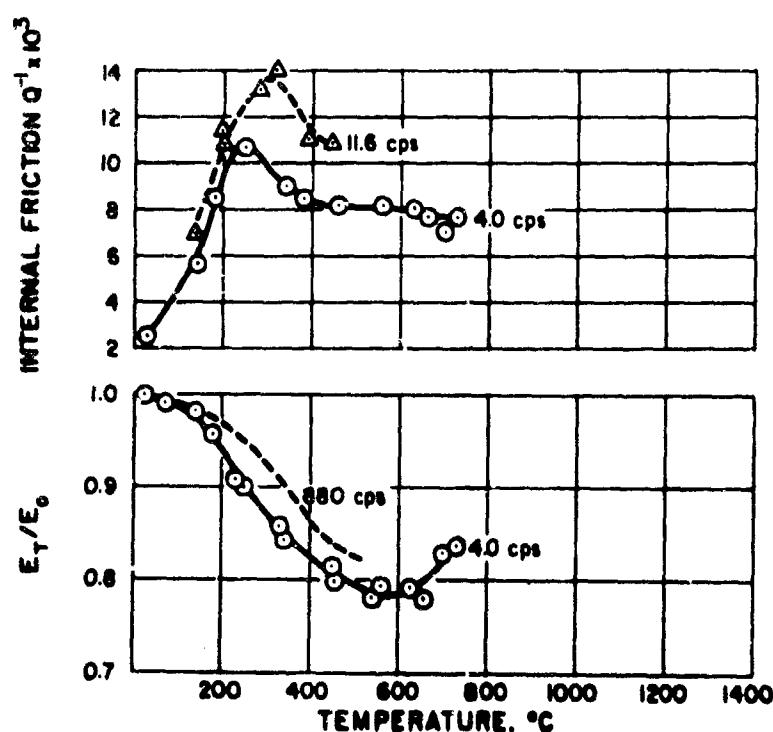

Fig. 8. Temperature dependence of modulus and internal friction of partially stabilised ZrO_2.

is to be described by the shearing of Zr atoms (or ions) in ZrH_2 and ZrO_2, the synchronized motion of H and O atoms (or ions) from tetrahedral to octahedral and back to tetrahedral sites is required. Further work is needed to substantiate the hypothesis.

IV. Anelastic Phenomena Associated with Mechanical Relaxation in Deformed Crystals

Dynamic anelastic experiments provide an excellent method of studying dislocation motion in crystalline solids at low-stress level to which there is no other easy access. The energy losses due to dislocation motion which have been discussed in the literature are: hysteresis losses, resonance losses, and relaxation losses [11]. Typical hysteresis losses are: those in which dislocations are torn away irreversibly from pinning points by the applied stress [12]; those where moving dislocations feel a stress field due to dispersed impurities, defects, or obstacles [13]; etc. An example illustrating hysteresis losses in oxides is shown in Fig. 9 for a sapphire crystal. The dielectric losses in ionic solids are typical resonance losses which do not involve dislocations [14]. There is one process in crystals which involves dislocations only and which shows all the characteristic
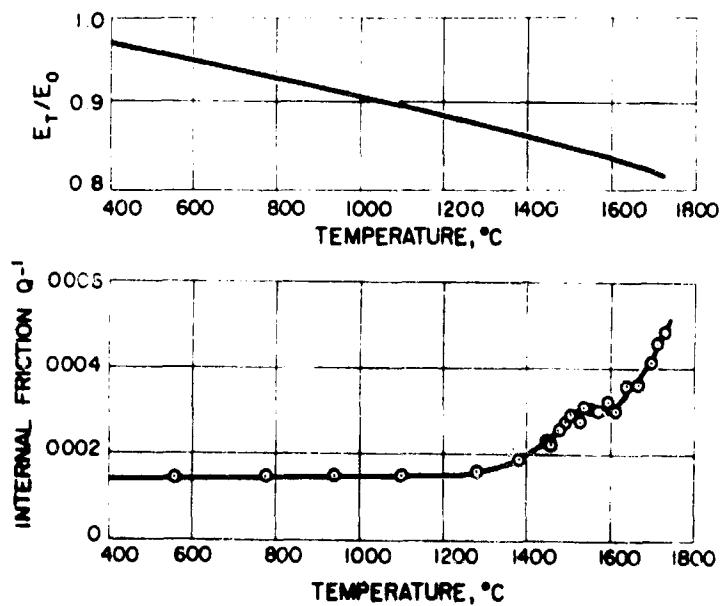
Fig. 9. Temperature dependence of elastic modulus and internal friction of sapphire crystal.
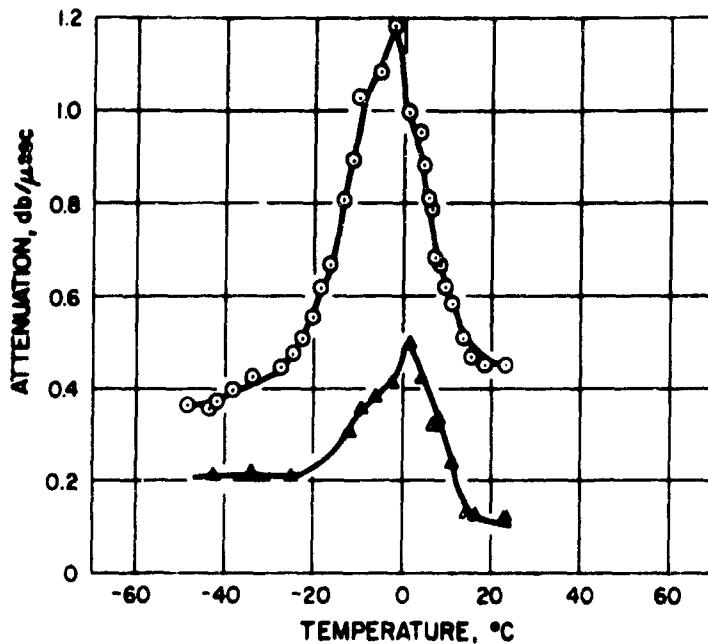
Fig. 10. Temperature dependence of attenuation of MgO single crystals due to cold work. Upper curve, cold worked ($\sim\frac{1}{2}\%$); lower curve, as cleaved.

features of a relaxation mechanism, namely, that observed in various face-centered cubic metals by Bordoni [15]. Recently we have discovered a similar phenomenon in MgO single crystals. Typical examples are shown in Fig. 10. The internal friction peak is enhanced by cold work and can be decreased by annealing. Since the Peierls force may be very important in determining the plastic flow behavior of ceramic materials, further studies along this line are recommended.

V. Summary and Conclusion

In conclusion, it is impossible to name all the anelastic phenomena occurring in high-temperature materials. The more important ones influencing the mechanical properties of these materials are briefly discussed above. This does not exclude other elastic and anelastic properties of high-temperature materials which are less clearly understood. The changes of elastic properties of commercial polycrystalline $NbBe_{12}$ with temperature, for example, are shown in Fig. 11. The increase in Young's modulus of $NbBe_{12}$ at $\sim1100°C$ may well be an important factor influencing the high-temperature strength of the material. As another example, the changes of in-
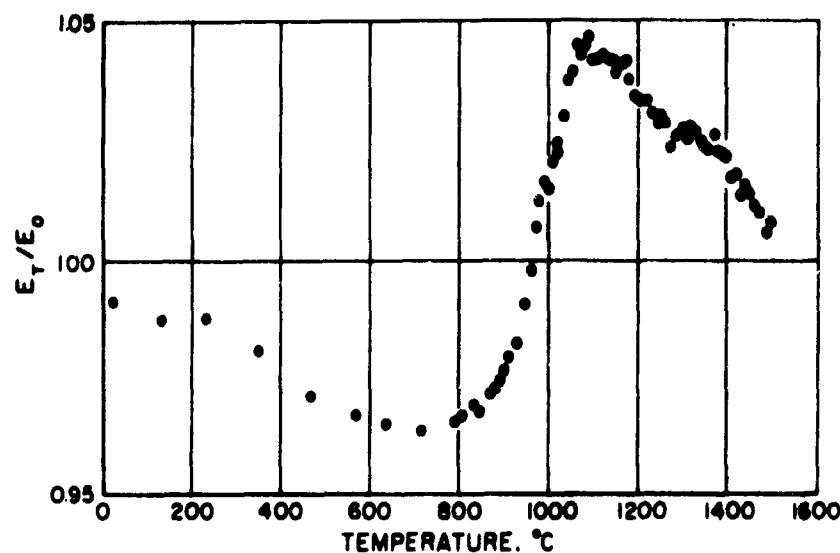
Fig. 11. Temperature dependence of Young's modulus of commercial NbBe₁₃.

ternal friction and elastic modulus of graphite with temperature
are shown in Fig. 12. The gradual increase in elastic modulus of
graphite with increasing temperature is reflected in increasing
strength of the material with rising temperature. Fundamental
understanding of the mechanism of these phenomena is essential
to any scientist or engineer for an intelligent evaluation of the rela-
tive merits of existing materials and of the potentialities of new
materials for high-temperature applications.
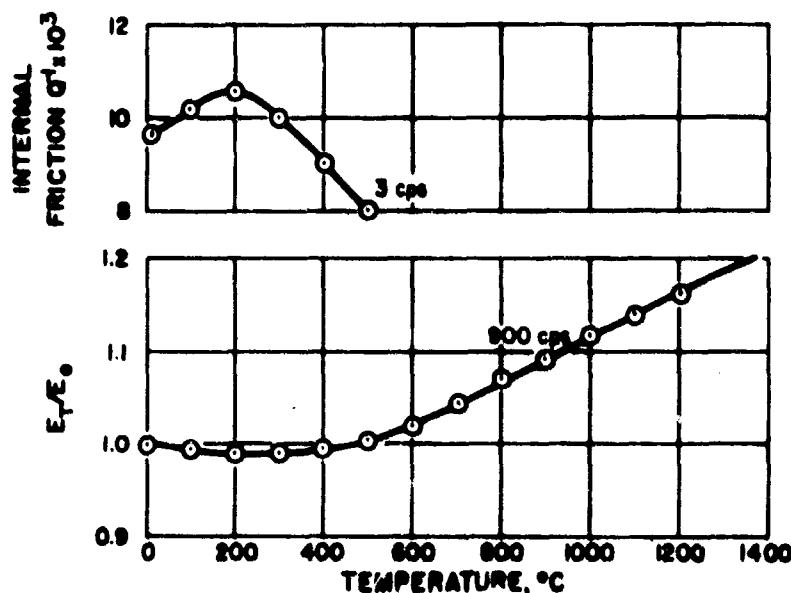
Fig. 12. Temperature dependence of internal friction and Young's modulus of
commercial (ECA) graphite.

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Discussion

R. E. Maringer (*Battelle Memorial Institute*): Some metals, which contain mechanical twins, have a characteristic property which might be helpful in identifying the damping peak you found in zirconium oxide. If a tensile stress is applied to a metal containing mechanical twins and, at the same time, the internal friction is measured in torsion, the damping is observed to increase significantly. In fact, the damping becomes directly proportional to the rate of application of stress. In a material which is anisotropic in its thermal expansion, such as uranium, the stress can be supplied by a temperature change, and the internal friction becomes proportional to the rate of change of temperature. It is believed that this phenomenon is the result of the stress-induced movement of twin boundaries. The existence of this type of stress-dependent damping in zirconium oxide would provide support for the contention that the mechanism of twin boundary movement is operative and that the observed damping peak is related to this mechanism.

Leon Green, Jr. (*Aeronutronic Division, Ford Motor Co.*): In regard to Fig. 12, I would like to mention that some experiments on internal friction on ECA graphite were made at North American about ten years ago covering a higher temperature range, and we found that a peak in the internal friction data occurred, attending the peaking of the Young's

modulus, or in this case shear modulus—indicating that it was a grain boundary relaxation phenomenon which produced the drop off in modulus at high temperature.

R. Chang: Yes. We found the peak at around 2200°C. I am not sure whether it is due to grain boundary relaxation alone. The peak is not very sharp; it is very broad.

P. L. Pratt (*University of London*): Have you any idea as to what these kinks in graphite are? I wasn't quite clear on what you said.

R. Chang: You take very thin flakes of graphite, look at them under the electron microscope, and you will see very prominent kink bands. Also if you touch a graphite flake with the tip of a tweezer, kinks will form very easily. The geometry of kinks has been worked out by me some time ago. It is not yet published.

S. A. Bortz (*Armour Research Foundation*): In obtaining change in dynamic modulus with temperature in Fig. 12, did you cycle your specimens at all; and, if you did, did you observe any hysteresis loop?

R. Chang: I'm sorry, I haven't done that, but we do find hysteresis loops in bend tests upon cycling.

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